

## Trend of Today's Markets

Stocks irregular. Bonds mixed. Curb lower.  
Foreign exchange steady. Cotton improved.  
Wheat higher. Corn firm.

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ITALY DISAVOWS  
TUNIS DEMANDS,  
SO CHAMBERLAIN  
WILL GO TO ROME

Prime Minister Informed by  
Mussolini's Government  
It Does Not Associate It-  
self With Campaign for  
French Colonies.

BRITISH LEADER CITES  
PROVISION IN ACCORD

Daladier Announces He Has  
No Intention of Giving  
Up Any Territory, Calls  
Demonstrations Best An-  
swer to Clamor.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Prime Minister Chamberlain announced today that he had received assurances that the Italian Government "did not associate itself with the territorial demonstrations against France."

He said, therefore, he saw no reason to change arrangements for his visit to Rome next Jan. 11.

The Premier told the House of Commons that the Italian assurances had been received after the Italian Ambassador to London, Count Galeazzo Ciano, had told the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano, that such incidents "must have a detrimental effect on the prospects of collaboration between the two Munich Powers" unless steps are taken to correct the impression created.

He cited Italian Accord.

Chamberlain, countering numerous opposition questions, indicated French sovereignty over Tunisia, Corsica and Nice was covered by an annex to the British-Italian agreement of April 18, which placed Britain and Italy on record as having no desire to modify the territorial boundaries in the Mediterranean. This accord came into force Nov. 11.

Chamberlain implied that Britain would back French resistance to Italian claims for French territory.

"Nothing in the Anglo-Italian agreement of April 18 affects in any way our obligations to France," he said.

He postponed answering a question which asked whether any pact existed compelling Britain to defend France if France were attacked by Italy.

Tumultuous Conservative cheering out, however, when he declared:

"If any other part of the British Commonwealth were attacked we should without hesitation go to its aid."

He made that statement in answer to a question concerning the recent hint of Gen. J. B. M. Herioux, Premier of the Union of South Africa, that South Africa might fight for Britain.

Daladier won't  
GIVE UP COLONIES

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Premier Daladier asserted today that France had no intention of giving up any part of its territory, personally answering Italian claims for French Corsica and Tunisia.

Daladier, in a communique, announced his intention of visiting the two regions shortly after the end of the year. He urged inhabitants, who have been demonstrating riotously against the Italian campaign, to remain calm.

There is no need to state that these manifestations (in Italy) will meet strong opposition against the possession of any territory over which the national flag floats," the Premier declared.

His statement was regarded as highly significant in view of preparations here to receive Joachim Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, who is coming to Paris tomorrow with the expectation of signing a French-German accord.

Daladier did not limit his remarks to Italy's newly raised demands.

Fact Only Starting Point.

He also declared France's resolution to demand respect for "the integrity of all of French territory by every means."

Both French and German agree on the war-renunciation pact, which to the declaration signed by French Minister Chamberlain at Munich last Sept. 30, would be only the starting point for further negotiations between Paris and Berlin.

Some observers believed that Chamberlain had cleared the air for the French-German discussions, but a definite expression of France's position against colonial

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ROOSEVELT GOING AHEAD  
ON 'LIBERAL' COURSE, SAYS  
DEMOCRACIES LOOK TO U. S.

President at Chapel Hill, N. C., Refers to Election Losses as Minor Setback—Preaches on Text of Orderly Change.

EUROPE IS DRIFTING  
TO WAR, PROBABLY IN  
SPRING, PIROW THINKS

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 5.

OSWALD PIROW, Union of South Africa Defense Minister, who has talked to democrats and dictators on a tour of European capitals, warned today that international tension may reach the breaking point by next spring.

He conferred with British Prime Minister Chamberlain, Italian Premier Mussolini, Reichsfuehrer Hitler and other key figures on his just-completed swing.

"Europe," he warned, "is drifting into war—which no nation wants but against which every Government is preparing. Unless there is a complete change of outlook in the next month or two international tension will reach the breaking point during the spring of next year."

RADIO BOARD TO OVERLOOK  
MEN-FROM-MARS BROADCAST

Federal Communications Says Steps  
Taken by Network Insure Against  
Repetition of Scare.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Federal Communications Commission has decided to take no action on complaints that the Orson Welles broadcast of Oct. 30 caused many radio listeners to believe that men from Mars were invading the United States.

The commission said today that it believed steps already taken by the Columbia Broadcasting Co. were sufficient to protect the public interest.

"While it is regrettable that the broadcast alarmed a substantial number of people," the FCC said, "there appeared to be no likelihood of a repetition of the incident and no occasion for action by the commission."

W. R. Lewis, vice-president of Columbia, had expressed regret for the incident and said the technique employed in it would not be used again. This arrangement included the interpolation of what purported to be "news announcements" in a musical program.

The commission received 372 protests against the program and 255 letters and petitions approving it. It said the complaints would not be taken into account in considering renewals of licenses of stations which carried the program.

## HUNTER FOUND SHOT TO DEATH

Wife Discovers Body of St. Clair  
County Farmer.

Walter Stitzel, a farmer, was found shot to death today, a shotgun at his side, in a woods near his farm home, two and a half miles east of Douglas, St. Clair County. Stitzel, 34 years old, had left home this morning, telling his wife he was going hunting.

His wife found the body in dense underbrush, with a wound in the head.

## SANTA BELATED, TANK DRY

Writes Down Own Fuel for  
Christmas—More Fuel.

WAYNESBURG, Pa., Dec. 5.—Santa Claus traded his reindeer for a truck in a Christmas parade here yesterday, but the truck ran out of gasoline.

Santa arrived late at the courthouse to join down children's Yuletide requests and add one of his own—for more gasoline.

"WHITHER  
AMERICA?"

The POST-DISPATCH  
next Sunday will publish  
a Sixtieth Anniversary  
Section containing a  
symposium by distin-  
guished Americans on the  
theme, "Whither Amer-  
ica?" Included will be a  
letter to the editor from  
President Roosevelt on  
the freedom of the press.  
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LONDE GETS ONE  
CHANGE OF VENUE,  
TRIES FOR SECOND

Judge Flynn, Taking  
Bombing Case From  
Judge Scott on Bias Plea,  
Calls for Trial at Once.

LAWYER THEN SEEKS  
MOVE OUT OF CITY

Alleges Community Preju-  
dice Against Ex-Convict  
Client—Newspaper Arti-  
cle Cited.

Isadore Londe's lawyer, failing to get a delay in his trial today by the device of a change of venue from Circuit Judge Michael J. Scott to Judge William B. Flynn, filed a second motion for change of venue with Judge Flynn. Judge Flynn, setting aside other business in his court, called a hearing immediately on the allegation that the people of St. Louis are so prejudiced against Londe that he cannot get a fair trial on the charge of bombing.

The defense lawyer, William J. Hough, presented his first affidavit to Judge Scott when the case was called this morning. It charged that Judge Scott, because of bias and prejudice against Londe, could not give the latter a fair trial. The affidavit was signed by Londe and by W. P. O'Brien, real estate dealer, and E. Davidson, lawyer.

In Judge Flynn's court, soon afterward, the judge announced the fact that the Londe case had been taken there, and turned to Circuit Attorney Franklin Miller, who is heading the prosecution, his first active courtroom appearance in several years.

"Is the defense ready?" Judge Flynn asked.

"Another affidavit."

"I wish to present an affidavit," Hough said, and handed in a document charging the citizens of St. Louis with prejudice against Londe, and asking for a new change outside the city, to some place where "such bias and prejudice" could be avoided. It was signed by Louis Edgar V. Miley, attorney, and Anthony Sassin, an insurance man.

As it was then time for the noon recess, Judge Flynn set the hearing of the venue motion for the afternoon session. Other cases were continued to make way for it.

Hough, questioned by the court as to his reason for filing the motion for a trial outside St. Louis, said the chief reason was an article on Londe, printed in Saturday's Star-Times. He said he believed this article would prevent a fair trial. Without it, he said, he might not have filed the motion.

"I saw the article," said the judge, and I didn't see why it should have been made so near the opening of the trial. If it were not for that article, I would have overruled your motion without ado."

Londe, one-time Egan gangster and former convict, wore a neat gray suit in court, with shirt and tie to match.

A large crowd waited in Judge Scott's court until the transfer, then went over to Judge Flynn's court. Many Negroes were in the room. Les Baker, Negro chief witness against Londe, victim of an attempted assassination Nov. 19, was not in court, but can be taken from County Hospital, physicians there say, whenever his testimony is needed.

Members of Deling's Auto.

Baker went outdoors today as far as the ambulance entrance of the hospital, where he viewed and identified the black sedan belonging to Elmer Dowling, ousted secretary-treasurer of the Bartenders Union local, who is a fugitive, sought for the attempt on Baker's life.

Baker looked over and inside the car, and said positively that it was the one in which he was brought from Essex, Mo., to Creve Coeur Lake this evening of Nov. 18. The car was recovered Saturday by the police from a garage where it was left on Nov. 19, several hours after the attempted murder of Baker.

Baker identified the car by its radio dial, horn button, and by the larger details of its color and shape. He related that, on the ride from Southeast Missouri, he smoked cigarettes and left the very short stubs in the back seat receptacles. Some very short stubs were found in the case.

Baker's Story.

Londe carries the possibility of the death penalty, a bombing which endangers life is a capital offense under Missouri statutes. The State expects to show that a man was asleep in the building adjoining the cleaning shop, the buildings having a common wall.

Baker told detectives, soon after

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CHARLES LANE, ONE  
OF TWO MEN WHO  
ESCAPED, GIVES UP

Companion of Joseph Ryn-  
kowski in Break From  
City Sanitarium Walks  
Into Jail.

HE DOESN'T TELL  
WHERE PAL WENT

He Says They Parted at Tav-  
ern at Walton and Olive  
Each Without Knowing  
the Other's Plans.

Charles Lane, who escaped a week ago from the City Sanitarium, where he had been committed for a sanity test pending trial on a manslaughter charge, walked into City Jail last night and surrendered to Warden Henry C. O'Meara.

Twenty city detectives had been assigned to special details in the search for Lane and Joseph Rynkowski, paroled Michigan convict, with whom Lane fled from the sanitarium last Monday night after binding two attendants. Both men had been declared sane after examination by physicians at the institution, the report on Lane being made on the day of his escape.

Rynkowski, still at large, is subject to return to Michigan to complete a 20-to-40-year term for robbery.

Lane questioned on Escape.

Lane appeared at the jail at 10 o'clock and was turned over to detectives, who questioned him concerning his movements since leaving the sanitarium.

He told the officers he and Rynkowski walked to a confederate car in the vicinity of the sanitarium, two blocks north of the sanitarium, where they called a taxi cab.

They got out of the cab in the 4100 block of McPherson avenue, Lane said, and went to a tavern at Walton street and Olive street, where they asked the bartender to call two taxis.

Lane said each agreed not to inquire into the flight plans of the other, and he left the tavern first.

He accused Rynkowski of getting in the second cab, a Blue and White, Lane said he went to an address on Union boulevard, which he refused to disclose, and stayed there until he decided to surrender last night.

Hunt for Rynkowski Pressed.

Police booked Lane at headquarters and began an inquiry among drivers of Black and White cabs in their continued search for Rynkowski.

The trial of Lane and three co-defendants on manslaughter charges is scheduled for the December term of court, which opens today. The case has not been docketed because of a motion to quash, filed by the co-defendants on the ground that Lane, the principal witness against them, was insane.

Last Friday counsel for the other defendants sought to withdraw the motion, an action designed to move the case to trial immediately with Lane absent. The request was taken under advisement by the court.

Lane, a CIO steel worker, was indicted last night at Raymond Coyle, a non-union employee of the Cruden-Martin Manufacturing Co., whose neck was broken in a beating near the plant Oct. 21, 1937.

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CLOUDY, COLDER TONIGHT;  
FAIR, WARMER TOMORROW

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## ITALIAN DEMANDS ON FRANCE LATER, FASCIST ASSERTS

Authoritative Editor Gayda  
Does Not Say What They  
Will Be or When They  
Will Be Made.

### PRESS WHIPPING UP TUNISIA AGITATION

Denial Made That Foreign  
Minister Backed Down in  
Talks With French and  
British Envoys.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Dec. 5.—Virginia Gayda, who frequently speaks the views of Premier Mussolini, indicated today that Italy would make demands on France at some future date. The Fascist editor, however, did not disclose precisely what the demands would be or when they would be made.

Italian agitation over Tunisia, meanwhile, gained momentum with Fascist warnings to France that she was "playing with fire" by permitting anti-Italian demonstrations such as those of yesterday in Tunisia and Corsica.

Gayda denied that Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, had been forced to back down in talks with the Earl of Perth and Andre Francois-Poncet, French and British Ambassadors to Rome.

"He posed a problem," Gayda wrote in the newspaper *Il Giornale d'Italia*. "He will follow it up at the proper time with that energy which is his."

Says People Support Aspirations.

Gayda declared the Italian people were supporting fully the Fascist aspirations and "to ignore the truth is to persist in the error that has dominated the European drama from Versailles of 1919 to 1938."

Gayda disputed French suggestions that Germany, about to sign a new non-aggression pact with France, would refrain from supporting the Italian demands.

"The French reactions," Gayda said, "are in vain. . . Italy and Germany, which have common desires, are marching together . . . with resolute will as well as an enlightened spirit of responsibility."

The press stressed moral claims to African Tunisia, and the Mediterranean island, Corsica, and argued that Djibouti would be valuable as a natural port for a great part of Ethiopia.

"The port is completely useless in French hands," the newspaper *Il Popolo di Roma* said. "In view of the fact that Italy can create a new port and divert through it all traffic which now passes through Djibouti."

Djibouti is the coastal terminal in French Somaliland of the railroad to Addis Ababa, capital of Italian Ethiopia.

Misrule Denounced.

Afternoon newspapers stepped up the tempo of the Tunisian clamor with a denunciation of alleged French misrule in her protectorate.

The newspaper *Il Lavoro* said: "Natural aspirations of the Italian people and blind transference of Paris—regime of terror against Italians in Tunisia—concentration camps around fortified areas—another Maginot line on the Libyan frontier—Jewish Italian subjects in service of the French—intolerable situation."

Both *Il Popolo* and *Il Tevere* quoted from an article on the Tunisian situation in the Palermo newspaper *L'Ora* saying that France's anti-Italian policy in Tunisia "has achieved beastial and unrepresentable harshness."

An unidentified Italian was quoted as telling *L'Ora* that the French established concentration camps for Italians in fortified zones of Tunisia during the September war scare.

Diplomatic circles indicated that Italian authorities had disclaimed responsibility for the press campaign when the British Ambassador, Lord Perth, called on Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano Saturday to determine Italy's intentions.

"No Reason for Alarm."

They said Ciano told Perth Britain had no reason for alarm and that the Italian Government could not be held responsible for any demonstrations in Parliament, the streets or newspapers.

Perth was reported in these circles to have expressed Britain's concerns over the Tunisian campaign on the ground that it violated the spirit of the British-Italian agreement which implied maintenance of the status quo in the Mediterranean.

The Italian press, however, reported "the hysterical anti-Italian agitation in French newspapers had received 'scanty sympathy' in London."

Italy shared with Britain and France control of Tunisian finances in 1880. France, under the secret agreement of the 1878 Congress of Berlin, sent a force into Tunisia against troublesome tribes and remained to establish a French protectorate. The French took Corsica from the Genoese in 1795.

## Text of Roosevelt's Speech

CHAPPEL HILL, N. C., Dec. 5. FOLLOWING is the text of President Roosevelt's address at the University of North Carolina here today:

"We live in a world of change. If a body of law were in existence adequate for the civilization of today, it could not meet the demands of tomorrow. Society is inconstant. So long as it is inconstant, there can be no constancy of law. . . . Law defines a relation not always between fixed points, but often between points of varying position. . . . There is change whether we will it or not."

It is recognition of this philosophy that has made the University of North Carolina representative of liberal teaching. And it is my recognition of your recognition of that philosophy that brings me so willingly to Chapel Hill today.

It is a privilege to be here on my first visit to the university, nearly a quarter of a century ago. I came then because my old chief—that great North Carolina liberal, Josephus Daniels—told me I should see for myself a great institution of learning which was thinking and acting in terms of today and tomorrow and not in the tradition of yesterday.

Wilson's Leadership.

In those days the leadership of the nation was in the hands of a great President, Woodrow Wilson, who was seeking to recover for our social system ground which had been lost under his conservative predecessor (William Howard Taft) and to restore something of the fighting liberal spirit which the nation had gained under Theodore Roosevelt. It seemed one of our national tragedies that just when Woodrow Wilson was beginning to accomplish definite improvements in the living standards of America, the World War not only interrupted his course, but laid the foundation for 12 years of retrogression. I say this advisedly because it is not progress, but the reverse, when a nation goes through the madness of the twenties, piling up paper profits, hatching all manner of speculations and coming inevitably to the day when the bubble bursts.

It is one of our thinking liberals in this world who see nothing but tragedy in the slowing up or temporary stopping of liberal progress. It is only the unthinking conservatives who rejoice when a social or economic reform falls to be 100 per cent successful.

It is only the "headline" mentality that exaggerates or distorts the true objectives of those in this nation, whether they be the President of the University of North Carolina or the President of the United States, who with Mr. Justice Cardozo, admit the fact of change and seek to guide change in the right channels to the greater glory of God and the greater good of mankind.

Introducing Himself.

You undergraduates who see me for the first time have read your newspapers and heard on the air that I am, at the very least, an agreeable converser with Communism, a destroyer of the rich, a breaker of our ancient traditions. You think of me, perhaps, as the inventor of the economic royalist, of the wicked utilities, of the money changers of the temple. You have heard for six years that I was about to plunge the nation into war; that you and your little brothers would be sent to the bloody fields of battle in Europe; that I was driving the nation into bankruptcy; and that I breakfasted every morning on a dish of "grilled millionaires."

Actually I am an exceedingly mild-mannered person—a practitioner of peace, both domestic and foreign, a believer in the capitalistic system, and especially in the capitalist system of the United States—a devotee of scrambled eggs.

You have read that as a result of balloting last November, the liberal forces in the United States are on their way to the cemetery—yet I asked you to remember that liberal forces in the United States have often been killed and buried—with the inevitable result that in short order they have come to life again with more strength than they had before.

It is also true that other men in public life have protested against certain forms of economic control and that epithets far stronger than any I have used have been employed even by Presidents of the United States. Those of us who knew Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt and Grover Cleveland could hardly call them mollycoddles.

Theodore Roosevelt Letter.

I was reading a letter of Theodore Roosevelt the other day, written to a friend in the spring of 1903, and it will, I think, interest and amuse you if I quote from it. He was writing to a man who was fighting for social and political decency on the Pacific Coast. He said:

"Now and then you must feel downhearted when you see men guilty of the most atrocious crimes who, from some cause or other, succeed in escaping punishment, and especially when you see . . . men of wealth, of high business, and in a sense of high social standing, banded together against you. My dear sir, I want to feel that your experience is simply the experience of all of us who are engaged in this fight. There is no form of slander and wicked falsehood in which the New York papers, not only those representing the lowest type of demagoguery, but those representing the interests that call themselves pre-eminently conservative, pre-minutely cultured, have not indulged in as regards myself. From all I can gather the feeling against me, not only in Wall Street, but not only in the houses of the greatest financiers of New York, but also in most of the uptown clubs . . . is

just in these places that the feeling against me has been most bitter! As a matter of fact, I do not care a snap of my fingers about it. I do not care whether they think well of me or think ill of me. But I do care a very great deal to do this work without flinching, on the one hand, and on the other hand without becoming angered and irritated to a degree that will in any way cause me to lose my head."

"Now, so it is with you and your associates. You must keep reasonably good-natured; but above all things you must not lose heart; and you must battle on valiantly, no matter what the biggest business men may say, no matter what the mob may say, no matter what the newspapers say, and you must choose to regard it as socially the highest element. You are in a fight for plain decency, for the plain democracy of the plain people who believe in honesty and in fair-dealing between man and man. Do not get disheartened; and keep up the fight."

"Definite Objective."

Theodore Roosevelt, born of an old New York family, Southern on his mother's side, trained as a young man on our Western frontier, perhaps the first American President in modern times who knew the whole nation. In the letter which I have read, and with this national background, it seems to me what he said, in effect, was first, that the American people have, and must have, a definite objective for the improvement of Government, for the improvement of social and economic conditions; second, that these objectives must be carried out by definite action, and, third, that in the attaining of them, the President and the Government and the people as a whole must have two essential qualities—first, a sense of proportion and perspective, and second, good-will and a sense of humor.

Almost every crisis of our history since 1789 has become a crisis because of a lack on the part of leaders, or on the part of the people themselves, or both, of some of these essentials.

The very birth of the Democratic party, at a time when President Washington publicly expressed the hope that the nation could be run on the basis of the Government itself was dominated by the great commercial and shipping interests of the seaboard, and failed to give recognition to the needs and the desires of the masses of the inhabitants of the original 13 states who did not subscribe to the theory that birth, wealth or political position could give to the possessors of these qualifications the sole right to govern. Hence the Democratic party.

The Other Extreme.

A generation later a government dominated by the other extreme—the planter people from the back country, from the Piedmont and the slopes of the Alleghenies, paying scant attention to the shipowners of the seaboard, drove our nation into the second war against Great Britain. And here in the South it worth remembering that the first suggestion of secession from the Union was proposed by delegates from the New England States in the Hartford Convention in 1814.

In both cases tolerance and the national point of view were absent. Another generation went by and the same lack of tolerance, the same lack of a national point of view which brought about a war which was not inevitable—the war between the States.

The social chagrins and the national was confronted not by a sectional difference but by a struggle for economic and social control—a period which saw the control of our national government by groups of individuals who owned their government, through quinine vast financial power, used the plea of development of our national resources that they might feather their own nests.

In the lifetime of people who are still with us, there were men who must admit had courage and vision, who pushed railroads across the plains, opened mines, dammed rivers, created vast aggregations of capital and led the nation into the aggregations of national and state and local political power.

In a sense those were glorious days because the wide-open spaces were open to those native Americans who were seeking to develop the land from the new centers of Europe to find work in new fields.

A Picture of Utopia.

A current author emphasizes the perfection of life that surrounded our population half a century ago. He draws a picture of the complete lack of any restraints on any individual and infers that every American of those days, no matter what part of the country he or she lived in, lived in a Utopia of work and play to which we should seek an immediate return.

A few days ago in Georgia, I talked with an old friend whom I have known for 10 years. He was what might be called an old-fashioned Southern conservative. We got to reminiscing about the old days when I first lived in Georgia. He reminded me of the days when cotton was selling at 5 cents a pound, and while he admitted that the ramifications of our Federal legislation, and especially of court decisions during the past six years, were somewhat beyond him, he allowed that some principle of crop control—cotton and tobacco—decided on by a majority of the farmers themselves, was the most democratic way to prevent the return of 5-cent cotton.

Safety of Bank Deposits.

He reminded me of two little banks in Warm Springs, Ga., banks in which many thousands of dollars of local savings had been deposited—of the failure of both of these banks and the loss of the savings—of the fact that the deposits in the banks of the United States are safe, and he reminded me that the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta would not be repealed.

He reminded me of the white men and Negroes who never saw, as the heads of families, \$100 in cash the whole year round. He reminded me of the days in 1933 when the states of the Union were going broke and losing their credit because the whole burden of the relief of the starving was placed on their shoulders without the contribution of one dollar from the Federal Government. He reminded me of the fact that the Federal Government was charged 15 and 20 per cent to borrow the money to build his house—of the days when slum clearance was a beautiful ideal on paper and nowhere else.

And, when I asked him to say "Young man, I don't know the United States the way you do but I know this section of the nation pretty well. I don't understand the actual working out of all these things, but I know that the Government has been starting in these past six years. But I know this section of the country and I want to tell you that there is a new spirit abroad in the land. I am not talking just about the fact that there is more buying power, that houses are being built that were never built before, that our roads and schools are better. What I am talking about is that all of our young people in my section of the country think that we are going places."

Those two words "going places" seem to be an essential in modern civilization.

They represent the conviction on the part of the young people of America that life never remains static; that there are better days ahead than ever before; that an opportunity to find a way of life, to earn a living, to raise a family in comfort and security is better today and will be better tomorrow. There may be those in the world who believe that a regimented people, whose every thought and action is directed by one man, may give some of the advantages of which it is pleasing to them. But whatever convictions I have, none is stronger than my abiding belief that the security and well-being of the American people can best be served by the free competition of processes which have made this country strong and great.

The future, however, rests not on chance alone, nor on mere conservatism, mere snugness, mere fatalism, but on the affirming vision which we take in America. What America does or fails to do in the next few years has a far greater bearing and influence on the history of the human race for centuries to come than most of us who are here today can ever conceive.

We are not only the largest and most powerful democracy in the world, but many other democracies look to us for a model that world democracy may survive.

Democracy at Home.

I am speaking not of the external policies of the United States. They are the result of the peace and they are exerted more strongly than ever before toward the self-preservation of democracies through the assurance of peace.

What I would emphasize is the maintenance of successful democracy at home. Necessarily democratic methods within a nation's life entail change—the kind of change through local processes described by Mr. Justice Cardozo—the kind of change to meet new social and economic needs through recognized processes of Government.

Because we live in an era of acceleration, we can no longer trust to the evolution of future decades to meet these new problems. They rise before us today and they must be met today.

That is why the younger generation means much in our current affairs. They are part of the picture in their twenties without having to wait until they have passed middle age.

That is why I myself associate myself so greatly with the younger generation.

That is why I am happy and proud to become an alumnus of the University of North Carolina, typifying as it does American liberal thought through American action.

Supreme Court Rejects Another Money Plea.

Denies Lawyers Permission to File Habeas Corpus Petition for California Prisoner.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Counsel for Thomas J. Mooney failed in the Supreme Court today in another move designed to free him from San Quentin (Cal.) penitentiary.

He is serving a life sentence for complicity in the 1916 Preparedness day parade bombing at San Francisco.

The court denied permission to file a petition for writ of habeas corpus intended to compel California officials to show that Mooney is rightfully held in prison.

Apparently the next step in the long contest for freedom will be a pardon application filed with Cullen B. Olson, who takes office next Jan. 2 as Governor of California. Olson has said publicly that he believed Mooney to be innocent and that he would give prompt consideration to a pardon application.

In asking the Supreme Court to grant a habeas corpus writ, John F. Flinerty, Washington attorney, proposed that Mooney be brought here to testify personally before the Justices.

## ROOSEVELT GOING AHEAD ON 'LIBERAL' COURSE, HE SAYS

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The President quoted at length a letter written in 1903 by President Theodore Roosevelt to a friend who was "fighting for social and political decency" on the Pacific Coast and who faced the opposition, as "T. R." put it, of men of wealth and social standing.

"Do not get disheartened; and keep up the fight," the former President wrote.

What "T. R." had said in effect, said the President, was the American people must have definite objectives for improvement of government, for the improvement of social and economic conditions; second, these must be carried out by "definite" action, and third, the Government and the people must have two essential qualities—first a sense of proportion and perspective, and second, good will and a sense of humor.

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In accepting an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from the University of North Carolina, the President paid tribute to the school for its "liberal teaching."

PHILIPPINE NAVY'S FIRST SHIP  
TO BE READY FOR TEST FEB. 1

By the Associated Press.

MANILA, Dec. 5.—President Manuel L. Quezon disclosed today the first ship of the Philippine Navy, under construction in England, will be ready for trial runs about Feb. 1.

The new ships, he said, are of the Italian "mosquito" variety and will have a speed of 45 knots.

President Quezon indicated the mosquito fleet was proposed by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, defense adviser to the Commonwealth Government. The fleet will be used for coast patrol duty in peace times.

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"They are due to such a degree of importance that the fact that they involve but a small part of the entire service rendered by the utilities in their extensive business is immaterial in the consideration of the existence of the Federal protective power."

After reciting the results which he said would be produced by stoppage of the Consolidated Edison business, the Chief Justice's opinion continued:

"If industrial strife due to unfair labor practices actually brought about such a catastrophe, we suppose that no one would question the authority of the Federal Government to intervene in order to facilitate the settlement of the dispute and the resumption of the essential service to interstate and foreign commerce."

"But it cannot be maintained that the exercise of Federal power must await the disruption of that commerce. Congress was entitled to provide reasonable preventive measures and that was the object of the National Labor Relations Act."

"We conclude that the board had authority to entertain this proceeding against the petitioning companies."

No Power to Break Contracts.

The Chief Justice decided, however, that the National Labor Relations Act "gives no express authority to the board to invalidate contracts with independent labor organizations."

"We think," he continued, "that (the) authority to order affirmative action does not go so far as to confer a punitive jurisdiction enabling the board to inflict upon the employer any penalty it may choose because he is engaged in unfair labor practices, even though the board be of the opinion that the policies of the act might be effectuated by such an order."

The decision also said that the American Federation of Labor and its local "having valuable and beneficial interests in the contracts were entitled to notice and hearing before they could be set aside."

He added that the A. F. L. Brotherhood had not been given notice that the validity of the contracts were under attack.

Right of Self-Organization.

"The employees of the companies," Chief Justice Hughes said, "are entitled to self-organization, to join labor organizations and to bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing."

"The 80 per cent of the employees who were members of the brotherhood and its locals, had that right. They had the right to choose the brotherhood as their representative for collective bargaining and to

## Broad Powers of NLRB Upheld

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have contracts made as the result of that bargaining."

"Nothing that the employers had done deprived them of that right. Nor did the contracts 'make the brotherhood and its local exclusive representatives for collective bargaining. On this point the contracts speak for themselves. They simply constitute the byproduct of the collective bargaining agency for those employees who are its members. The board by its order did not direct an election to ascertain who should represent the employees for collective bargaining."

"Upon this record, there is nothing to show that the employer's selection as indicated by the Brotherhood contracts has been superseded by any other selection by a majority of employees of the companies, or as to create an exclusive agency for bargaining under the statute, and in the absence of such an exclusive agency the employees represented by the brotherhood, even if they were a majority, clearly had the right to make their own choice."

"Moreover, the fundamental purpose of the act is to protect interstate and foreign commerce from interruptions and obstructions caused by industrial strife. This purpose appears to be served by these contracts in an important degree."

California State's Plan for Pacific Mutual Reorganization Approved.

The Supreme Court approved the plan of the California Insurance Commissioner for rehabilitating the business of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. of California by organizing a new concern called the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co.

William H. Mehlert, Los Angeles attorney, and three other policyholders challenged the proposal.

The reorganization was upheld by the State Supreme Court.

Samuel L. Carpenter Jr., State Insurance Commissioner, contended the plan provided for the new company to assume all insurance liabilities of the old company by 100 per cent except certain non-cancellable disability policies.

Justice Roberts delivered the decision.

No dissent was announced.

Injunction Against U. S. Tax Deed to State-Owned Railroad.

The Supreme Court refused to enjoin enforcement of the Federal Railroad Retirement Act and the Carriers' Taxing Act against the State Belt Railroad in San Francisco, owned by the State of California.

In an opinion by Justice Brandeis, the Court held that payment of taxes imposed would not "expose the State to irreparable injury since the amount paid with interest could be recovered if not due" by other

litigation. No dissent was announced.

The State of California contended the railroad was an "essential governmental function" and hence was immune from Federal taxation. It is used to facilitate commerce in the San Francisco port.

The State added that under the Federal legislation taxing railroads and employees to provide retirement benefits, the State of California would be required to pay \$782 annually.

The suit, filed directly with the Supreme Court, was directed against the Federal Railroad Retirement Board and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Hawaiian Commission Wins \$33,484 License Fee Suit.

The Supreme Court held the Hawaiian Public Utilities Commission may collect license fees totaling \$33,484 from the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., of Honolulu. The fees were imposed for 1922 to 1930, inclusive, for investigating and regulating utilities. They are based on gross receipts and capital stock.

Texas Bus and Truck Regulation Law Upheld Against Attack.

The Supreme Court turned back an attack on the constitutionality of a Texas law supervising the operation of motor trucks and buses in an effort to preserve the highway and promote safety.

Justice Butler delivered an opinion which upheld Texas in a controversy with A. E. McDonald, operator of a trucking fleet between Texas and Oklahoma cities.

McDonald contended that the 1925 Federal act regulating interstate operation of trucks and buses prohibited a state from supervising the operation.

The Supreme Court ruled that McDonald's operations have been without authority of the Texas Commission and, unless within the proviso of the Federal act, without operation of Federal law."

Review Refused on Decision Against Bridge Foreclosure.

In Iowa.

The Phoenix Finance Corporation of Delaware failed to obtain a Supreme Court review of a decision denying foreclosure and sale of property of the Iowa-Wisconsin Bridge Co. owner of a bridge across the Mississippi River at Lansing, Ia.

The finance company appealed from the decision of the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals, which held that \$177,000 in bonds held by the company were void. The bonds were part of a \$200,000 issue which secured a trust deed on all property of the bridge company.

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pipe line concern, indicated that  
Laclede would have a \$245,000 defi-  
cit in the first year, if rates to con-  
sumers were made low enough to  
encourage a substantial increase in  
volume of gas used for home heat-  
ing, water heating and other than  
cooking purposes.

After the first year, on the same  
basis, the company would have a  
surplus ranging from \$140,000 the  
second year to \$1,100,000 in the fifth  
year. These surpluses would be sub-  
stantially less than the company  
would make if it continued to fur-  
nish its present mixture of natural  
and artificial gas.

Comparative Heating Values.  
These exhibits were filed in  
connection with the reopening  
of hearings on the commission's  
order, on its own motion, to La-  
cled to show cause why it should  
not change to straight natural gas.  
The company now serves a mixture  
of manufactured and natural gas  
having a heating value of 800 Brit-  
ish thermal units per cubic foot.  
The natural gas available in St.  
Louis has heat value of about 950  
B. T. U.

It was assumed that in order to  
cause substantial increase in use of  
gas rates for domestic purposes  
would have to be reduced about 5  
per cent, in the bracket of smallest  
consumption, to as much as 25 per  
cent in the brackets of higher con-  
sumption, such as would apply to  
customers heating homes with gas.  
The Nov. 23 proposal of the Mis-  
sissippi River Fuel Corporation to  
Laclede, as to the wholesale price  
of natural gas, was for a price of  
18 cents per 1000 cubic feet at the  
outlet, increasing to 26 cents  
after five years. The 18-cent price  
was offered as a promotional rate,  
to induce Laclede to build up a  
volume of business by which, in  
later years, it could make a profit,  
although paying somewhat more for  
natural gas. The profit, however,  
increased in business the expected  
large increase in business.

Five-Year Forecast.  
Laclede's five-year forecast of in-  
come, if it changes to natural gas  
under the Mississippi River Fuel  
Corporation's recent proposal, and  
over to straight natural would not  
result in cheaper gas. He called as  
a witness Dr. Walter Polakow of  
Washington, director of the engi-  
neering department of the United  
States Works of America.

Views of the union, and the testi-  
mony of Polakow, as summarized in  
a memorandum filed with the com-  
mission, included these objections:  
That the change would cause un-  
employment, reducing annual pur-  
chasing power by \$1,500,000, and  
might increase gas rates to the  
consumer; that the city's receipts  
in taxes would be reduced; that  
coke manufacture would be les-  
soned and the smoke will thereby  
increased; and that large-scale use  
of natural gas was a threat to oil  
resources.

Childress' Statement.  
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that the only advantage of a change  
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## Bombing Case Defendant in Court

Isadore Londe, who was charged with the bombing of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch building, was in court today for the first time since his arrest.

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## CIVIC UNION ASKS STARK TO REMOVE CIRCUIT ATTORNEY

300 at Meeting Accuse  
Franklin Miller of Failing  
to Prosecute for Indecent  
Literature.

A resolution calling on Gov.  
Stark to file criminal proceedings  
against Circuit Attorney Franklin  
Miller as an officer "unfit or un-  
willing" to do his duty, was adopted  
yesterday at a mass meeting called  
by the Civic Union of St. Louis at  
Third Baptist Church, Grand and  
Washington boulevards. About 300  
persons attended.

The resolution was based on the  
Circuit Attorney's failure to prose-  
cute distributors of what was re-  
ferred to as indecent literature un-  
der statutes making this a felony.  
As a result, it was explained by  
Prof. Theodore Graebner of Con-  
cordia Seminary, former president  
of the Civic Union, who introduced  
the resolution, it had been possible  
to prosecute such offenders only  
in Police Court where he said it  
was difficult to obtain jury con-  
victions.

As an example of Miller's laxity  
in other matters, Prof. Graebner  
cited the prosecution of Stanley  
Oytrom, vice-president of the Oytrom  
Mortgage Co., which collapsed in  
1928 with a loss of \$2,000,000. The Missouri  
Supreme Court ruled that, because  
Miller's office waited nearly four  
months too long in filing a new  
information charging Oytrom with  
obtaining money under false pre-  
tenses, after the case had been  
dismissed on a demurrer, the statu-  
te of limitations prevented further  
prosecution.

Conflicting Opinions Offered.  
After Miller had refused to prose-  
cute the Pierce Building News  
Agency and the Foster Book Store,  
contending that felony statutes  
were not applicable because objec-  
tionable printed matter seized did  
not refer to any living person, Prof.  
Graebner said a contrary opinion  
was obtained from Attorney-Gen-  
eral McKittick. The opinion was  
handed to Miller who said he  
would study the question further.  
Prof. Graebner said.

The resolution also "regretted the  
inability or unwillingness of our  
police department to employ that  
authority which it has for suppres-  
sion of indecent shows and the dis-  
tribution of indecent literature."

On one occasion, Prof. Graebner  
said, police delayed raiding a build-  
ing in which indecent pictures were  
being made after they had been  
notified of it by the Civic Union.  
They found nothing when the raid  
finally was made.

County Officials Frustrated.  
The resolution commended Pro-  
secuting Attorney James P. Finn-  
gan; his assistant, John E. Swan-  
son; Assistant Prosecuting Attor-  
ney John McNair of St. Louis;  
County Clerk of Police Andrew  
McDonnell of Webster Groves.

The Rev. Mary Ellis of Philadel-  
phia, vice crusader who has been  
working in St. Louis for several  
months, financially assisted by the  
Civic Union, spoke at length on Mon-  
day night and said she was deter-  
mined to close the place because of  
its vulgar language and strip tease  
acts.

Message Parlor Assailed.  
Other objects of her wrath, she  
said, would be massage parlors and  
three night clubs where female im-  
personators appeared. She criti-  
cized authorities for their failure  
to enforce a law which she said pro-  
hibited one sex from dressing in  
the clothing of another.

Police protection had been denied  
her, she said, although she had re-  
ceived telephone calls warning her  
to leave the city. After she had  
made arrangements to employ a  
bodyguard from a private detective  
agency, she said, the agency told  
her it had been given police orders  
not to provide the guard. A collec-  
tion was taken to finance her cru-  
sade.

Horner G. Allan, 6561 Kingsbury  
boulevard, president of the Civic  
Union, told of the organization's ef-  
forts to suppress indecent books  
sold near schools and circulated by  
lending libraries.

300 Students to Travel by Planes.  
COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 5.—More  
than 300 students at Stephens Col-  
lege will use airplanes to travel  
home for the Christmas holidays,  
according to President James M.  
Woods. Five special planes will  
leave from Columbia. Students liv-  
ing in the Rocky Mountain and  
West Coast regions will board  
planes in Kansas City.

SAFE IN GRANITE CITY LOOTED  
Blankets From Store Stock Muffled  
Explosion; Bags of Cash Taken.  
A safe in the Leader Department  
Store, Granite City, was blown open  
last night and two bags of money,  
the store's receipts for Friday and  
Saturday, were stolen.  
Company executives declined to  
estimate the loss. Blankets taken  
from the stock were used to muffle  
the explosion.

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TO GET YOUR FREE!  
BEAUTIFUL BOUDOR LAMP

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bundle may be, you can take ad-  
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bundle of shirts, a minimum Damp  
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these attractive lamps, suitable for  
your own home or Christmas gift,  
etc. HURRY! This offer for a  
limited time only!

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## PILOT SAYS HE FELL FROM PLANE, GOT IN AGAIN, RIGHTED IT

Amateur Flyer Saved From  
1800-Foot Plunge to Earth  
by Belt Catching on Legs.

By the Associated Press.  
BOSTON, Dec. 5.—Daniel Cleve-  
land, 24-year-old amateur pilot, told  
the story of how he fell out of his  
plane yesterday, was saved from an  
1800-foot plunge to earth by a safety  
belt which caught around his legs,  
and somehow climbed back into the  
plane and pulled it out of a tail-  
spin.

Cleveland said he was leaning out  
a doorway at the side of the ship  
to take a photograph of school  
buildings far below when the door  
gave way and he fell.  
"Just as suddenly as I fell out I  
was jerked to a stop by the safety  
belt that lay across my knees," he  
said. "I can't tell you what I did  
during the next two minutes. Earth  
and sky blended into one pattern  
—the motor roared—the plane  
plunged downward out of control.  
"I managed to grab at the side of  
the plane as it lurched, and to haul  
myself into it. I didn't have much  
trouble to get my feet and hands  
back to the airport and landed."

He didn't get the pictures.  
TWO BIG EAST ST. LOUIS  
GAMBLING HOUSES CLOSE

Vic Doyle and "Mulepole" Fritz  
Shut Down, With New Sheriff  
Taking Over Today.

The two principal gambling es-  
tablishments in East St. Louis, one  
operated by Vic Doyle at 318A Mil-  
lennium avenue and the other by Adam  
C. (Mulepole) Fritz at 353 Broad-  
way, were closed last night, appar-  
ently as a precautionary measure  
before the new Sheriff of St. Clair  
County, D. A. Frindable, took office  
at noon today.

At the Doyle place, gambling tables  
and a roulette wheel were covered  
and slot machines moved to storage  
rooms. Employees told a Post-Dispatch  
reporter they had been "temporarily  
dismissed."

The service cars which transported cus-  
tomers from Third street and Wash-  
ington avenue, St. Louis, to the  
gambling establishment ceased op-  
erating.

At the Fritz establishment the  
gambling tables were covered when  
the place closed early yesterday.  
In the Nov. 8 election, gambling  
was not an issue in East St. Louis.

N. L. R. B. NOTES SMALL DECREASE  
IN NUMBER OF LABOR ROWS

Regional Director Reports 55 Cases  
Under Consideration as Against  
87 Oct. 1.

A small decrease in the number of  
active cases involving labor dis-  
putes was reported today by Miss  
Dorothea de Schweinitz, regional  
director of the National Labor Re-  
lations Board.

The St. Louis office has 55 cases  
under consideration now, as com-  
pared to 87 cases Oct. 1. The 55  
cases involve 614 workers, a de-  
crease of 118 from the 732 work-  
ers involved in cases on file Oct. 1.  
Miss de Schweinitz said her office  
settled five cases and dismissed two  
in October, and in November settled  
four others in which 1195 workers  
were involved. Only one charge of  
unfair labor practices went to a  
hearing in November.

President Roosevelt made public  
national figures of the NLRB Sat-  
urday, announcing that 595 cases in-  
volving 78,583 workers had been  
closed since October 1. A total of 408  
cases affecting 1,357,570 employees  
was pending Nov. 1.

FOUR ARMED ROBBERIES  
IN ST. LOUIS AND COUNTY

Holdup Men Get Total of \$81; Vi-  
olence Accompanied in Autos  
in Three Cases.

Four holdups in which armed  
robbers escaped with a total of \$81  
were reported in St. Louis and St.  
Louis County early yesterday.

Howard Martin, 3851 Labadie ave-  
nue, and Mrs. Nellie Langwith, 1816  
Belt avenue, were held up in Mar-  
tin's automobile in the 1100 block  
of North Kingshighway by two rob-  
bers who took \$50 from Mrs. Lang-  
with and \$127 from Martin.

## MURDERED MAN FOUND IN BOXCAR IN VENICE YARDS

Skull Crushed With Coup-  
ling Pin, Apparently in  
Fight—Trousers, Shoes  
and One Sock Missing.

The body of an unidentified man  
26 to 30 years old, his skull crushed  
with a railroad coupling pin, was  
found in an empty boxcar in the  
Terminal Railroad yards in Venice  
shortly before midnight last night,  
eight hours after the car had been  
moved there from the Bremen ave-  
nue yards in St. Louis.

Deputy Coroner Ferd Pieper of  
Madison County said the man, who  
apparently was killed after a strug-  
gle, had been dead from about 12  
hours. Pieper notified St. Louis  
police, in view of the possibility  
the murder might have occurred in  
St. Louis.

Police, summoned by a switch-  
man who investigated after find-  
ing the boxcar door locked, found  
the body lying on a red and black  
checked blanket. There was blood  
on the walls of the car and a  
coupling pin lay nearby. The man's  
trousers, shoes and right sock were  
missing.

He was six feet tall, weighed  
about 180 pounds and had blue eyes  
and curly, sandy hair. The upper  
teeth were false and lower molars  
on either side were missing. He  
was dressed in heavy underwear,  
a red and black checked flannel  
shirt, fleecy-lined leather mittens  
and a leather aviator's type helmet.

There also was a canvas rain hat  
of the type worn by railroad men.  
The body was taken to the Pieper  
undertaking establishment in Gran-  
ite City.

St. Louis detectives learned that  
the box car arrived empty over  
the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy  
route from Kansas City at the Car-  
le avenue yards at 8:30 a. m. yester-  
day. At that time the doors were  
open.

It was switched to the Bremen  
avenue yard of the Terminal Rail-  
road at 11 a. m. When inspected  
there the doors were closed. At 3  
p. m. it was taken over the Mer-  
chants Bridge to Venice. Inspec-  
tion in the Venice yards revealed  
that the doors were locked. Be-  
cause of this police thought that  
there was a strong possibility that  
the murder was committed on this  
side of the river.

Fingerprints of the dead man  
were examined at Police Headquar-  
ters but there was no record of  
them there.

Construction Crane Dynamited.  
WASHINGTON, Ia., Dec. 5.—A  
\$15,000 crane, belonging to the  
Massman Construction Co. of Kan-  
sas City, was dynamited here yes-  
terday. It was one of two ma-  
chines being used by the company  
on a \$150,000 railroad underpass—  
a Federal roads project. Superin-  
tendent William Donley said there  
was no labor trouble on the project.

For His Christmas  
RONSON  
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fine quality in  
lighters, combina-  
tion cases with  
lighters, table  
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men stopped Willis Johnson,  
2628 St. Louis avenue, at River-  
view drive and St. Cyr avenue, and  
robbed him and three passengers in  
his car of \$15.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Trampe were  
robbed of \$15 by two men who ac-  
cused them when their car stalled  
near their home at Larimore and  
Trampe roads, in the county.  
James Bowers, 5087 Washington  
boulevard, told police two men held  
him up in the 4700 block of Delmar  
boulevard and robbed him of \$12.

## Her Trial Delayed

MRS. ELDA DUKE

Defense Makes Plea, Saying  
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Trial of Mrs. Elda Slupsky Duke  
on the charge of murdering her  
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Mrs. Duke, 33 years old, slim, with  
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room in Municipal Courts Building.  
She wore a black felt hat and a  
gray caraco coat with black belt.  
At liberty under bond, she has been  
residing lately in University City.  
Her husband, Ora Duke, is a rail-  
road telegraph operator at Ros-  
edale, Ill. They have two children.

After the death in 1935 of her  
father, "Col." Abe Slupsky, one-time  
brewery lobbyist and politician, she  
had made her home with her moth-  
er. She was the only other person  
known to have been in the house  
with Mrs. Slupsky at the time of  
the shooting.

Mrs. Slupsky, who died June 11,  
was 67 and had poor sight and hear-  
ing.

LOST AUTO FINDS POLICE

Slips Brakes, Rolls Down Hill and  
Crashes Into Station.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Jack  
Wesensfield went to Taraval Pol-  
ice Station yesterday to report his  
automobile had disappeared from  
its parking place on top of a hill.  
The car had been found. It had  
slipped brakes, rolled down hill and  
crashed into the police station.

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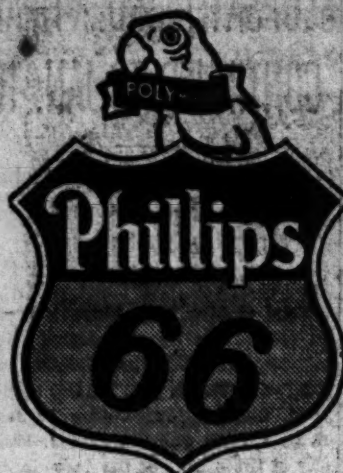
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## RUMANIAN ARMY JUDGE IS SHOT BY TWO IRON GUARDS

President of Court That Sentenced 72 Wounded Slightly—One of Assaults Captured.

By the Associated Press. BUCHAREST, Dec. 5.—Two youths whom police identified as members of the illegal Iron Guard today shot and slightly wounded Col. Cristescu, president of a military court, at Cernauti, Northern Rumania.

Four shots were fired. Col. Cristescu suffered a flesh wound. One assailant was captured and identified by police as Leonie Lututovic, 18-year-old student and Iron Guard member. The other escaped.

Col. Cristescu had figured in the Government's drastic drive against the Iron Guard as president of a court which recently sentenced 72 students to prison for Iron Guard activities.

Government efforts to stamp out the Iron Guard, previously concentrated in the university town of Cluj, were promptly intensified in Cernauti.

Last week Corneliu Zelea Codreanu, the "Little Fuehrer" of the Iron Guard, and 16 of his followers were shot and killed when, according to Government accounts, they tried to escape from prison guards.

Authorities said that in spite of the arrest of more than 2000 Iron Guard members, there was a possibility that important leaders still were at large.

Police announced today the killing of 17 Iron Guardist last week followed discovery of a plot to bomb and destroy parts of Cluj, university seat and reputed center of the activities of the outlawed Fascist-patterned organization.

## TWO SNAKES GIVEN TO ZOO; FOUND IN BANANA SHIPMENTS

One, a Mildly Poisonous "Blunt Head," Thrives in Captivity, Although Others Have Died.

Banana shipments from Central and South America have added two specimens to the St. Louis Zoo's reptile collection. Mildly poisonous "blunt-head" and annulated snakes arrived recently in bunches of the fruit and were turned over to the Zoo by local freight station and commission firm.

The "blunt-head," with a triangular head, blunt nose and thin, tapering body, is thriving on a diet of lizards, in contrast to other "blunt-heads" which the Zoo has had before and could not keep alive. Mooty Lantz, curator of reptiles, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter.

## LACLEDE REPORTS PROBABLE INCOME ON NATURAL GAS

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sumers lower than those now charged for mixed gas.

On the other hand, he continued, there would be certain disadvantages in the switch, which he said would necessitate a radical change in operating practices and would mean loss of employment to several hundred workers directly employed by Laclede.

The switch would "involve the Laclede company in a venture which would at best be speculative to a considerable extent," he said, adding that the management had been giving diligent study to the question and would continue to do so until it was solved.

Referring to cost surveys made by the two engineering concerns, Childress said analysis of the report by one of them, the Central Service Corporation, showed clearly that mixed gas could be produced to sell at a lower price than that at which natural gas, to meet Laclede's full requirements, could be bought.

"Since receipt of that report, however, the Mississippi River Fuel Corporation has offered to reduce its rates for natural gas," he continued. "A study of these figures does not show that on the basis of a proper contract with the Mississippi company natural gas can be distributed at lower prices than those now being charged for mixed gas."

"Accordingly we find ourselves unable to conclude at this time that the change over to straight natural gas should be made on the basis of the best offer yet received by the Laclede company."

Childress then remarked that many customers of the Laclede company had been "led to believe" that there was unalterable opposition on its part to introduction of straight natural gas in St. Louis. That is not the fact, he said.

"We are by no means opposed to furnishing straight natural gas," he declared, "but, on the other hand, we believe it will be a good business policy to do so if and when natural gas can be bought at a price which will enable the Laclede company to reduce its rates to its customers."

The exhibits filed by the Laclede Company did not cover the question of loss of employment by workmen now engaged in the operation of the gas manufacturing plant. About 250 workers would lose their jobs by retirement of the plant.

## COMMERCIAL TELEGRAPHERS OBJECT TO NLRB ORDER

Protest Against Election by Postal Telegraph Men, Precedented by CIO Affiliate.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Commercial Telegraphers' Union, an American Federation of Labor affiliate, announced yesterday it had protested to the National Labor Relations Board that agency's order for a nation-wide election by Postal Telegraph Co. employees.

The CTU said the action of the board was "precipitated by the request" of the American Communications Association, an affiliate of the Congress of Industrial Organizations.

Patrick J. Taft, attorney for the CTU, who filed the petition, asserted in a statement that "the board has taken anything but an impartial stand."

"The board," he said, "has before it complete testimony offered by both CTU and ACA and has in its possession membership applications of a majority of the employees in 45 cities designating the CTU to act for them, and there is not an iota of evidence of the employees in any of the 45 cities repudiating the CTU by designating ACA to act for them."

Ray Merivine in inhalator. READING, Pa., Dec. 5.—Chester Koniowski, 10 years old, was revived yesterday after apparently drowning in an old canal. Despairing of the boy's life after finding no trace of breathing or heart action for 10 minutes, hospital physicians placed him in a mechanical inhalator. He was revived.

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## NEW NAZI ORDER BARS JEWS FROM OWNING REAL ESTATE

They Also Are Prohibited From Dealing in Gold and Precious Metals Without Permits.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Dec. 5.—A new Nazi law, effective immediately, prohibits Jews from owning real estate, from dealing in gold and precious metals and from owning securities.

The new decree, signed by Reich Minister Walther Funk, prohibits Jews from: 1. Prohibited German Jews from acquiring, owning, selling or leasing real estate without permits. 2. Specifically enumerated gold, platinum, silver, precious stones and pearls.

2. Provided that they may possess real estate and sell or lease it, but are obliged to obtain special permits for the purpose.

3. Ordered that they must deposit with banks whatever bonds or other valuable certificates they may have.

Acquisition by non-Jews of Jewish-owned, valuable real estate, however, is possible only through official sales shops.

However, the decree empowers higher administrative officials to permit Jews to sell real estate to dispose of their individual wealth. It also authorized officials to name special trustees for this purpose.

Report of Other Action. A report that Jewish women Polish origin had been ordered to leave Germany by Jan. 1 origin in Warsaw and could not be confirmed here, but a Government spokesman said, "It is not im-possible."

It is reported that those who had been ordered to leave wives of Polish-Jewish citizens expelled from Germany in October when the Nazi Government issued new Polish passport regulations might deprive Polish Jews of citizenship and leave them as stateless persons.

The Jewish Relief Committee in Warsaw has estimated that over 100,000 Polish Jews are still at border stations unable to travel in either direction and without any indication of their future is to be.

Jewish informants here say that many of the Polish women are in Germany with passports, since passports were turned over to Polish consulates for revalidation under the new Polish law and might not be returned.

New Decree Expected. German Jews themselves more decrees restricting their participation in German life. De- come effective tomorrow they will be removed from certain streets and public places.

Christmas goods are appearing in repaired shops taken from the after the Nov. 10 anti-Jewish law. The new proprietors told that they must not refer to the "previous standing" of business.

The transfer from Jewish hands, the official order declared, "marks a definite break in the past."

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## STOCK HANDLERS' STRIKE IN CHICAGO YARDS SETTLED

More Than 600 Men Return to Work, Accepting Proposal of Union Stock Yards Co.

### SOLE BARGAINING RIGHTS TO CIO

Union to Continue Parleys on Wages, Hours—May Walk Out if Contract Is Not Signed in 10 Days.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—More than 600 stock handlers returned to work in Chicago Stockyard pens today, ending a strike which had tied up the nation's largest meat animal market for two weeks.

Striking members of the CIO Stockhandlers Local No. 567, who quit work Nov. 21, accepted yesterday a peace proposal submitted by the Union Stockyards & Transit Co.

O. T. Henkle, general manager, said he had advised commission men that normal operating forces would be on hand for the three shifts at the yards today.

The packing house workers' organizing committee approved the peace terms late Saturday night, and yesterday the stockhandlers voted almost unanimously to return to their jobs of feeding and caring for the animals in the yards.

The company submitted its proposal to the union through Mayor Edward J. Kelly. The agreement covers the following points:

The company recognizes the CIO as sole and exclusive bargaining agent; it will continue negotiations on wages, hours and working conditions and will put the agreements reached in writing.

Henry Johnson, assistant national director of the FWO, said union members voted to reserve the right to strike again unless the company signed a contract within 10 days. A resolution also was adopted, Johnson said, stating that unionists would not work if 17 present employees did not join the CIO.

When the strike was called the union demanded a 40-hour week, time and a half for overtime, pay increases for all men getting less than 62½ cents an hour, a written contract and a checkoff of union dues.

Only a few meat animals were sold during the strike, which was the longest on record at the stockyards. In 1934 the yards were tied up for 12 days, and in 1933 for two days. During the last tie-up no live-stock quotations were sent out for nine days and sales in other meat markets were larger than usual.

## French Police on Guard in Tunis Against Anti-Italian Outbreaks

Several Rioters Injured, Fifteen Arrested in Violent Demonstrations Against Rome's Bid for Control.

By the Associated Press. TUNIS, Tunisia, Dec. 5.—Heavy police guards were thrown around the Italian Consulate in Tunis and Sousse today following angry demonstrations and the shouts of "down with Italy!" in both cities yesterday. An undetermined number of rioters were injured. Fifteen persons were arrested.

Mobile Guard units were kept ready today to aid police in several cities of this French North African protectorate. Local authorities were instructed to break up demonstrations.

The Italian campaign to gain control of Tunisia, which, lying directly across the Mediterranean from Sicily, would set Italy securely athwart Mediterranean routes, touched off the violent demonstrations. "Cries of 'long live France!' and 'down with Italy!' echoed through the streets of Tunis."

Raiders broke into the Italian line offices and the Italian newspaper Fasciste Unione. Windows were shattered in the Italian tourist office. Rioters wrecked an Italian bookstore, seizing newspapers and books and flinging them into the streets where the mob tore them to shreds.

Italian residents who appeared on the streets wearing Fascist insignia were forced to shed their emblems.

Representatives of the Arab delegation in the Tunisian Parliament told authorities the Arabs would fight, if necessary, under the French tricolor to prevent an

Italian administration of Tunis. Most of the demonstrators were said to have been French, Corsicans and Tunisians.

Arabs were reported to have been dissuaded from making a demonstration before the Italian Consulate.

Mayor of Ajaccio Issues Appeal to Corsicans to Be Calm.

AJACCIO, Corsica, Dec. 5.—The Mayor of Ajaccio appealed to his people today to remain calm after anti-Italian demonstrations last night in the streets of Ajaccio, Bastia and other Corsican cities.

Organizations of all types held hurried meetings throughout the island and sent telegrams of loyalty to France to the Dalmatian Government.

A police guard posted at the Italian Consulate was doubled this morning lest there be repetition of the Sunday demonstration, when 30,000 Corsicans surrounded the consulate, shouting "Long live France—kill Mussolini!"

Corsica has been mentioned by authoritative Italians, along with Tunis and Djibouti, as territory Italy should have. French sovereignty over the island, just north of Italian Sardinia, was obtained from the republic of Genoa May 15, 1768.

At ceremonies before Corsica's World War memorial yesterday, a resolution was read affirming the island's "indestructible attachment" to France and expressing indignation at the "insulting pretensions" of Italy to acquire the territory.

Italy Disavows TUNISIA DEMAND, CHAMBERLAIN SAYS

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demands from either of the Fascist partners.

No hitch was expected, however, to signing of the pact, as Daladier apparently was determined to go through with it. This was indicated by the fact that formal conversations were arranged for after the signing rather than before it.

The Best Response.

The demonstrations of loyalty in Tunisia and Corsica, Daladier said, were "the best response that could be made" to Italy's demands.

He added that a protest made by France already had won a declaration from the Italian Government that demonstrations for colonial claims were not formulated by the Government.

That the Premier made his declaration after receiving the Italian answer, however, indicated that France still believed it would be difficult in a country where public opinion and the press are as well controlled as in Italy for such a resolution to get under way without Government support.

The French press, although generally approving the proposed agreement with Germany warily looked into it today to find the game of the Rome-Berlin Fascist alliance.

A report that Von Ribbentrop

would offer to act as mediator between Rome and Paris already was spread about Paris, but the question everywhere was "at what price?"

Premier Daladier's own radical Socialist party newspaper, L'Oeuvre, referred to the fact that Von Ribbentrop's visit to Paris coincided with Italian agitation for French Tunisia and Corsica and said flatly: "It is a trap."

Daladier, reliable information said, was ready to reject Von Ribbentrop's bid if any strings were tied to it, such as aid for the German goal of returned colonies.

Mussolini's Price Indicated. These informants indicated the French believed Premier Mussolini of Italy would be willing to call a halt to the Tunisia agitation if the French would recognize the insurgent Spanish Generalissimo, Francisco Franco, as the head of a belligerent Government. Officials hinted that France would not offer such a price.

Daladier, reliable informants said, was ready to tell the German Foreign Minister that France was not in a giving mood right now and that it was doubtful France would be so in the future.

All political parties were united on a refusal to give either Germany or Italy one scrap of "our colonies."

Gaston Bergery, Deputy of the left, however, said what many politicians had been thinking in France when he drew a distinction between French colonies and territories held by France under League of Nations mandate.

Possessions Are Sacred. "It goes without saying that our possessions across the sea are sacred," Bergery told a Frontist party meeting in Paris. "As to the former German colonies under League of Nations mandates, we declare that we cannot look forward to any modification of the status quo, where France would be the only one to make sacrifices and where the German Reich would find new possibilities for aggression."

Bergery's comment opened the question whether France might be willing, when the Nazis begin thumping their drums for colonies in earnest, to cede Togoland and the Cameroons.

At present the only official and almost unanimous unofficial answer is "no." Some rightist groups, however, point out that such action could be made gracefully—if Germany would consent to return to the League of Nations and then get the mandate for the possessions

## TALK BY ROOSEVELT AT COLUMBIA, S. C.

President, on State House Steps, Speaks to Crowd in Rain.

By the Associated Press. COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 5.—President Roosevelt recalled his association during the World War with the late Senator Benjamin Ryan (Pitchfork Ben) Tillman of South Carolina in an informal speech from the State House steps, which climaxed a two-day visit by the Chief Executive on his way back to Washington from Warm Springs, Ga.

Roosevelt spoke to a huge crowd which braved a steady rain to greet him. He had just attended a breakfast with State leaders of the Democratic party at the Executive Mansion, a group from which the present senior Senator from South Carolina, R. D. (Cotton Ed) Smith, was conspicuously absent.

Senator Smith, who was re-elected for his sixth term last month after defeating Gov. Olin D. Johnston in the primary despite the President's opposition, had previously announced that he would not attend the breakfast because of failure to receive an invitation. The Governor, who arranged the breakfast, insisted that an invitation had been sent.

In his brief speech, the President said one of his ancestors had been a Lieutenant-Governor of South Carolina in pre-Revolutionary War days, referring to him as "Old Jim Murray," and describing him as a "Loyalist" to the English during the war for independence. "So you see," he commented, "my connection with this State goes back a long time."

Of Senator Tillman, who was chairman of the Committee on Naval Affairs, the President said that he, as Assistant Secretary of the Navy under Woodrow Wilson, had worked with Tillman for development of the Charleston navy yard.

"And the Federal Government knows today," he added, "that it is a part of the union."

His special train arrived at 8:30 a. m., and left two hours later. Before returning to his train, Mr. Roosevelt was driven past the boyhood home in Columbia of President Wilson.

from France with the League blessing.

Resolutions Against Claims. The union of French-Italian war veterans in Paris, the popular Italian union of the Montauban district, the Board of the French Extension Center, linked with the Government tourist office and Corsican war veterans in Paris Sunday passed resolutions against the Italian claims to Tunisia and Corsica.

Daladier's internal problem, meanwhile, was the Le Havre maritime strike which kept the giant Normandie and other liners have been tied up.

The use of troops and the regulation of seamen under military law, methods which crushed the general strike last week, were ineffective Sunday. There were instead, among dock workers, talk of extending the strike to other French ports.

WOMAN'S SUIT OVER \$25,000 LEFT IN ENVELOPE BEGUN

Mrs. Minnie Tucker Alleges Late John B. Wahl Intended Money for Her.

The suit in which Mrs. Minnie Tucker is seeking to prove that \$25,000 in \$1000 bills found in the safe deposit box of the late John B. Wahl, retired commission merchant, were intended for her began today before Circuit Judge Eugene J. Sartorius.

Attorney for Mrs. Tucker said he would attempt to show that the words "Personal. Her property. Private" which were written on the envelope, were in Wahl's handwriting. Mrs. Wahl testified that additional writing on the envelope in her own handwriting, which identified her more fully, had been put there by her at Wahl's request.

Wahl, 61-year-old bachelor, died in November, 1937 in Mrs. Tucker's apartment while they were playing cards with friends. She testified that her husband, who died in 1924, had introduced her to Wahl and that they had been friends for many years. She said he regularly came to her apartment to play cards and occasionally for meals. Mrs. Tucker was not mentioned in Wahl's will. He left an estate inventoried at \$660,628, the bulk of which is to go to a sister, Miss Bertha Wahl.

GERMAN WOMAN REFUGEE AND HUSBAND DEAD OF GAS

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—A German refugee, Mrs. Sonja Lewis, 25 years old, and her husband, Hudson, 23, an English Jew, were found dead in their apartment today from illuminating gas. Police said the two apparently had made a suicide agreement.

Officers learned the two had been depressed since receiving word Saturday of the sudden death of the woman's grandmother in a home for the aged in Berlin. It was said she died when Nazis began to demolish the institution.

Cochran Reports Spending \$1855. JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 5.—Representative John J. Cochran, St. Louis, reported to the Secretary of State's office today he spent \$1855 in winning re-election to Congress from the Thirteenth District. He reported contributions of \$1375.

Representative Joseph B. Shannon, Kansas City, reported only \$50 spent in his successful campaign for re-election from the Fifth District.

## M'CORMICK'S REPLY TO WOMAN'S CHARGE

His Lawyer Says Mrs. Colby Has No Basis for \$2,000,000 Suit.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Counsel for Harold F. McCormick, chairman of the board of the International Harvester Co., said yesterday "there is no basis whatever" for the \$2,000,000 breach of promise suit filed by Mrs. Olive Randolph Colby of Kansas City.

Mrs. Colby, 51-year-old widow of a New York sportsman, alleges in her bill filed in Superior Court Saturday that McCormick promised to marry her in 1933 but later that year refused to do so. McCormick, 68, three times wed and twice divorced, took his third wife, the former Adah Wilson, 34, a nurse, in Pasadena, Cal., last May.

McCormick's attorney, John Wilson, said McCormick had given Mrs. Colby financial assistance from 1928 to 1933 after the death of her husband "to help her establish herself in business." He had been a "close personal friend" of Mrs. Colby's husband, Howard Colby.

"Mr. Colby visited Mr. McCormick in his home frequently over a long period of years," the lawyer said. "On many occasions he received financial assistance in substantial amounts from Mr. McCormick. Mr. McCormick kept up with this assistance to Mrs. Colby after her husband's death in 1923 for the purpose of helping her establish herself in business."

He continued helping Mrs. Colby until 1933, the lawyer added, when "it was made clear to her that she would receive no further financial assistance from Mr. McCormick."

24TH VICTIM OF SCHOOL BUS AND TRAIN COLLISION DIES

Girl, 15, Succumbs Few Hours After Mass Funeral Services for 14 in Utah.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 5.—Reta Beckett, 15 years old, died last night a few hours after funeral services were held for 14 victims of the collision of a Jordan school bus and a freight train. Her death was the twenty-fourth from the accident, which occurred Thursday.

In mass funeral services, prayers were offered that the injured survivors would recover.

Parents of children who died in the New London (Tex.) school explosion in March, 1937, sent a message of sympathy.

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Beneficiaries of a trust fund set up by the late Mrs. Lily Busch, consisting of 284,103 shares of Anheuser-Busch, Inc., worth \$12,733,253 at the current market, have the right to dispose of their shares of the income by will, it was held today by Circuit Judge Eugene J. Sartorius. The court held that it was the intention of Mrs. Busch, widow of Adolphus Busch, to permit the beneficiaries to direct distribution as they chose.

The suit was brought by the St. Louis Union Trust Co. and Adolphus Busch III, a grandson of Mrs. Busch, as trustees of the trust fund, to construe the trust agreement. They acted as the result of a contention in behalf of Barbara Jane Magnus of Los Angeles, 16-year-old great-granddaughter of Mrs. Busch, that Miss Magnus' grandmother, the late Mrs. Nellie Leob of Chicago, had no right to dispose of the interest by will.

Mrs. Leob, who bequeathed her share to other persons, had a 2-3 interest in the income of the trust, and a quarter of her interest was sought for Miss Magnus. Income of the whole trust, at the 1938 dividend rate of \$1.60 a share, was \$422,561 for the year, of which the share sought for Miss Magnus would have been \$12,522. The stock in the trust fund constitutes 25.3 per cent of the stock in the brewery.

24TH VICTIM OF SCHOOL BUS AND TRAIN COLLISION DIES

Girl, 15, Succumbs Few Hours After Mass Funeral Services for 14 in Utah.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 5.—Reta Beckett, 15 years old, died last night a few hours after funeral services were held for 14 victims of the collision of a Jordan school bus and a freight train. Her death was the twenty-fourth from the accident, which occurred Thursday.

In mass funeral services, prayers were offered that the injured survivors would recover.

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## FREIGHTER HITS LINER OFF BREST; 17 MISSING

16 on Greek Ship Rescued in Channel by Crippled Steamer, Taken in Tow.

By the Associated Press. HAMBURG, Germany, Dec. 5.—Sixteen crew members of the Greek freighter Akli and one woman were missing today after the vessel collided with the South American liner La Plata Sunday near Ushant in the English Channel.

Fifteen others from the Akli were taken aboard the South American vessel, which was taken in tow by two tugs and headed for Brest.

Capt. Schneekloth reported the liner's hold was one-third submerged. The collision occurred in a dense fog.

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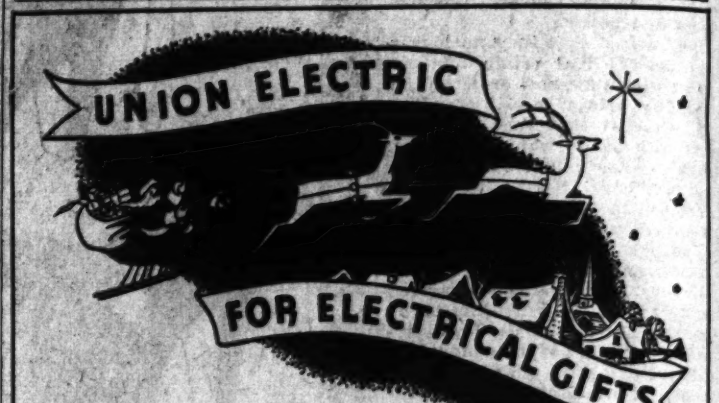
Louisville, 12.2 feet, a rise of .4; Cairo, 12.4 feet, a fall of .1; Memphis, 6 feet, a fall of .4; Vicksburg, 7 feet, a fall of .1; New Orleans, 23 feet, a fall of .1.



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## SOUTH AMERICA-BOUND IN A 20-FOOT SAILBOAT

Two St. Louisans Leave on  
Cruise by Way of  
West Indies.

Lawrence W. Jones and Edwin Schiller, companions in adventure, left St. Louis at 11 a. m. today for South America in a 20-foot sailboat, which they purchased and remodeled with funds raised through the operation of a filling station.

Leaving from the foot of Franklin avenue, they plan to use the auxiliary motor on their boat for the trip down the Mississippi River to New Orleans, then take to their sails after reaching the Gulf of Mexico.

Their itinerary calls for a coastal cruise to Florida, then to Cuba and through the West Indies group, then south to Buenos Aires. Their plans stop there, Jones said, for after they reach the Argentine city they may return home or head their craft elsewhere.

This is not the first time the two have set out to travel extensively. In 1932 they made a 10,000-mile trip in the United States and Mexico by canoe, on motorcycle and afoot. But before completing their wandering on that occasion the two found work on a freighter and visited England.

So the same thing may happen again, for they admit that if they should be confronted with an opportunity to see something more interesting they might abandon the itinerary and follow their whims.

The problem of chartering their course holds no terror for them, as they feel they learned enough about navigation on the freighter to take them anywhere.

After the first jaunt, the two de-

cided to settle down temporarily and earn some money that would make more travel possible. They opened a service station at 4005 Washington avenue and operated it for about two and one-half years, quitting in September when they felt they had saved the necessary money.

The search for a boat took them along the lake resorts between Milwaukee and Chicago, and finally at the latter city they found what they wanted. They paid \$800 for the hull, which included a 20-foot mast and sails in good condition. After adding the auxiliary motor and remodeling it so that now it is equipped with electric lights and running water. The boat, which has a beam of eight feet and draws 58 inches, has been named the *Red Bird of St. Louis*.

Jones, 27 years old, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Norman Jones, 4088 Pershing avenue, and Schiller, 25, is the son of Dr. E. J. Schiller, 4615 Argyle place.

## 4 SHOT IN SHANGHAI BARROOM BRAWL OF FRENCH, ITALIANS

Soldiers and Sailors of Defense  
Units in Gun Fight.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 5.—Three French policemen and an Italian marine were wounded in a gun fight which developed early yesterday when the police sought to quell a barroom brawl between sailors and marines of the two governments' defense units here.

Seven Italian marines were arrested and placed in the French military jail following the clash.

Following the initial barroom clash, the Italians retired to their barracks for reinforcements and returned and renewed the brawl with the French sailors. The French police stepped in and attempted to separate them. Then the shooting started between the police and the Italians. Order was restored after the Italian marine officers herded their men back to their barracks.

## Chicago Heir and Fourth Wife



POTTER D'ORSAY PALMER and his bride, the former Louise Lowery Abatiello, Florida waitress, after their marriage at Sarasota.

## FR. COUGHLIN SAYS JEW WROTE FORD'S SPEECH

Priest Says Statement Represented  
Views of Rabbi  
Franklin of Detroit.

By the Associated Press.  
DETROIT, Dec. 5.—The Rev. Charles E. Coughlin said in his weekly address yesterday that a recently published statement by Henry Ford on the persecution of Jews in Germany "was a gigantic attempt to put into the mouth of America's foremost manufacturer words he did not say."

Father Coughlin said the statement was written by Rabbi Leo M. Franklin of Detroit after a conference with Ford and "it was the Rabbi's concept, not of what Mr. Ford actually said, but what Rabbi Franklin would prefer he said."

The Ford statement said admission of Jews to the United States under immigration quotas "would constitute a real asset to our country" and remarked that a decoration conferred recently on Ford by the German Government had no particular significance. The statement also said Ford had found Jewish workers loyal and able.

Harry Bennett, Ford personnel director, affirmed the priest's assertion that Rabbi Franklin had written the statement. Bennett said Ford authorized it and that "we agreed" when the Rabbi suggested that it be put in the first person.

Father Coughlin described Communism as "the cause of Nazism" and suggested that in view of the "magnificent publicity" given the persecution of Jews in Germany, the present would be an ideal time "to amalgamate the forces of a sympathetic world against all persecution, be it that of Catholic or Protestant, Jew or Gentile."

Rabbi Wise Says "Coughlinism Is Deadliest Anti-Semitism in U. S."

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Rabbi Stephen Wise declared yesterday that "Coughlinism is the deadliest form of anti-Semitism in America today."

Dr. Wise told his congregation at the Free Synagogue, "Coughlinism does not come into court with clean hands in holding the Jews responsible for all the ills that men and nations are heir to."

"Father Coughlin does not represent the Catholic church, nor his Bishop, nor his diocese, but some unknown group, some organization outside his church."

Referring to Father Coughlin's mention of Jews in connection with the Russian revolution, the Rabbi said: "Coughlinism knows that not one-tenth of Jews outside of the Soviet Union are Communists. . . I am not a Communist and I say that Coughlinism is the deadliest form of anti-Semitism in America today, resorting to a cheap and contemptible trick to entrap the people."

Cleveland Rabbi Says Fr. Coughlin Should Take Cue From Pope.

By the Associated Press.  
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 5.—Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner of Cleveland, O., told an overflow crowd in Jewish Community Center last night that "Father Charles E. Coughlin is guilty of having spoken half truths and, through misrepresentation of facts, of having put the Jew in a bad light."

The Rabbi said, "Father Coughlin ought to take his cue from his great Pope, who is opposed to Nazism and Communism, as well as to Fascism and Communism, instead of from Hitler and Nazi propaganda."

Rabbi Brickner charged the Royal Oak (Mich.) priest's "distortions were calculated to undo the good will created by the vast number of expressions of sympathy and

## POTTER PALMER AND BRIDE DINE AT PLACE WHERE SHE WORKED

Member of Wealthy Family Visits  
Florida Inn With Former  
Waitress.

By the Associated Press.  
SARASOTA, Fla., Dec. 5.—Potter D'Orsay Palmer and his bride of two days returned last night for dinner at the roadside inn where the fourth Mrs. Palmer worked as a waitress before her marriage.

Palmer, member of a wealthy Chicago and Sarasota family, announced Saturday that he and Pluma Louise Lowery Abatiello were married Friday night.

His third wife, the former Pauline Warren of New York, obtained a divorce from him here Wednesday. She charged habitual intemperance. The court awarded her \$200 a month permanent alimony despite Palmer's contention he had no income other than money which his father, Honore Palmer, gave him.

Young Palmer, who said he expected to be disinherited as a result of his latest marriage, said he had not seen his father, who arrived in Sarasota Saturday. His mother, he said, did not approve the marriage.

Roseville (Ill.) Boy, 13, Killed.

By the Associated Press.  
GRIGGSVILLE, Ill., Dec. 5.—Ray Jones Jr., 13 years old, of Roseville, was accidentally shot and killed in a hunting accident near Griggsville yesterday.

prayers of intercession for the persecuted Jews two weeks ago."

Radio Station WDAF Picketed for Refusal to Broadcast Fr. Coughlin.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—A crowd estimated by police at several hundred picketed the building occupied by radio station WDAF last night, carrying signs protesting against the station's cancellation of Father Charles E. Coughlin's weekly broadcast. Station officials said the priest's address was canceled "because of his refusal to submit the address before broadcasting."

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## HAVRE STRIKE STILL TIES UP MANY LINERS

Normandie and 20 Others  
Can't Move — Factory  
Workers Return.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Owners of factories closed since the general strike last Wednesday took back thousands of employees at the Government's suggestion today, but the French Line strike at Le Havre still tied up the Normandie and about 20 other liners.

A Government spokesman said all factories involved in the Wednesday strike, which Premier Daladier crushed, would be functioning normally by Thursday.

These would include the Renault Automobile Plant where 25,000 employees have been out since Nov. 24. Three thousand Renault workers returned to work today, summoned by special slips mailed to them and which they had to present before passing through lines of mobile guardsmen still surrounding the factory.

Government Order Defied.  
Despite a Government order putting them under military control, about 1500 of the Normandie crew, 2000 workers on the liners Paris and Ile de France, and 1500 dock workers and port handlers refused to work at Le Havre.

Leaders of the Le Havre move-

ment predicted they would accomplish what the general strike could not do, and bring about the collapse of the Daladier Government, against whose decree law laws labor is fighting.

There was talk among some of the workmen of an effort to extend the strike to other ports. The strikers named a delegation to talk with Leon Jouhaux, chief of the General Confederation of Labor, which called the Wednesday walk-out.

Parliamentarians said Daladier was assured of adequate Center and Rightist support to overcome Socialist and Communist opposition when Parliament convenes Thursday, if he maintains firm control of the labor situation.

Should a maritime strike spread, however, Leftist groups hoped they could gain Daladier's Center Deputies for their cause.

Order by French Line.

The Le Havre strike began Saturday, after 60 employees were dismissed for participating in the national walkout Wednesday. The French Line told the strikers they must make personal applications if they wished to be rehired.

Three hundred and twenty-two American volunteers from the Spanish Government army were delayed from starting homeward. Consular officials indicated some of them could sail on the President Harding Thursday.

Millon Wolfe, a Major of the Lincoln-Washington Battalion, complained that reservations provided were like a "concentration camp." The Americans are living in barracks reserved for emigrants in the waterfront area. The French authorities have posted guards and

none of the group is permitted to enter the city proper.

## BENEFIT CONCERT FOR EXILES

Yehudi Menuhin, Violinist, to Play  
for Refugee Fund.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Yehudi Menuhin, the violinist, said today he would give two concerts this season for the benefit of refugees. One concert is planned for the Royal Opera, Covent Garden, in London, and the other in some city in the United States, probably New York.

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### BOOTLEGGING DE

Agents Find Illegal Still  
Plants Are Becoming  
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By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Art Berkshire, chief alcohol forcer, reported today on the anniversary of prohibition that the volume of bootlegging continues to decline.

His men find illegal stills, but he said the moonshiners are getting smaller. When Congress increases liquor tax last summer to \$2.25 a gallon, Treasury feared the increased cost of legal product might put bootlegging.

"We've watched very close bootlegging has not increased the tax increase," said Berkshire. "In fact, it is generally on the decline."

On the question of liquor, the Treasury is not satisfied. Withdrawals of liquor from storage warehouses dropped 2 per cent in the last fiscal year. This might mean decreased consumption or merely a reduction in the number of warehouses because of business downturn.

Distiller organizations on a possible drop in consumption legal liquor, but laid it off taxes which they said were consumers to bootlegging. Meanwhile, official figures indicated that the quality of was going up. In addition 643,255 gallons of whiskey for more years old available for sale. In 1938, an additional 601 gallons will pass the for sale in the current fiscal year. Total warehouse stocks of 480,000,000 gallons are the in history.

Forty-four of the 48 states mit sale of hard liquor. Exceptions are Kansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee and Mississippi. Liquor taxes now amount about \$1,000,000,000 a year, of the Federal Government take thirds.

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## TREASURY REPORTS BOOTLEGGING DECLINE

Agents Find Illegal Still, but  
Plants Are Becoming  
Smaller.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Stewart Berkshire, chief alcohol tax enforcer, reported today on the fifth anniversary of prohibition repeal that the volume of bottled liquor continues to decline.

His men find illegal stills regularly, but he said the moonshine plants are getting smaller.

When Congress increased the liquor tax last summer from \$2 to \$12.5 a gallon, Treasury men feared the increased cost of the legal product might put new life into bootlegging.

"We've watched very closely, and bootlegging has not increased since the tax increase," said Berkshire. "In fact, it is generally on the decline."

On the question of liquor consumption, the Treasury is non-committal. Withdrawals of liquor from storage warehouses dropped about 2 per cent in the last fiscal year.

This might mean decreased consumption or merely a reduction in retailers' stocks because of general business downturn.

Distiller organizations conceded a possible drop in consumption of legal liquor, but laid it on high taxes which they said were driving consumers to bootleg beverages.

Meanwhile, official figures indicated that the quality of liquor was going up. In addition to 8,648,255 gallons of whiskey four or more years old available for bond, June 30, an additional 35,338,081 gallons will pass the four-year age in the current fiscal year.

Fourty-four of the 48 states permit sale of hard liquor. The exceptions are Kansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee and Mississippi.

Liquor taxes now amount to about \$1,000,000,000 a year, of which the Federal Government takes two-thirds.

## Mystery of Lost Generals Coming Up in Paris Trial

Wife of Vanished Gen. Skobline Accused of  
Complicity in Disappearance of Gen. de  
Miller, Leader of White Russians.

By the Associated Press.  
PARIS, Dec. 5.—A fiery actress of Casimir, Russia, known as "La Fievistka," began a court fight for freedom today, although the mystery of the vanished White Russian generals, in which she played a leading role, remains unsolved.

She is accused, with her vanished husband, Gen. Nicholas Skobline, of complicity in kidnapping another White Russian General, Eugene de Miller, who disappeared Sept. 22, 1937. She denied the charge.

When he dropped from sight, Gen. de Miller was head of the emigre veterans of the old Imperial Russian armies. His predecessor, Gen. Alexandre Kouteffoff, likewise vanished in 1930.

Gen. de Miller left behind him one clue, a hastily penned scrap of paper saying he had a rendezvous on the night of his disappearance with Gen. Skobline, his aid, and a German "military attaché."

"Perhaps it is a trap," he wrote.

When police sought Gen. Skobline for questioning the next day, he, too, had vanished.

Gen. de Miller's wife, accused Soviet secret police of spiriting away her husband and said Gen. Skobline was a Soviet agent.

Police work on the mystery has continued 14 months. All that time La Fievistka, arrested when her story failed to satisfy police, has been in prison.

Meanwhile, the leadership White Russian "army" has sought a successor to Gen. de Miller as head of the 25,000 former soldiers scattered throughout the world. Gen. Theodore Abram and Gen. Wladimir Witkevsky have taken over the job temporarily while the veterans are polled for their choice of a new leader.

The White Russian veterans, keeping their eyes on developments in Soviet Russia, maintain a semi-military organization, but their main activity is walking and finding food and jobs for emigres.

A warrant is out for the arrest of Gen. Skobline, and 50 witnesses have been called to testify against a trial of his wife, La Fievistka, has told her jailer the French police "are only chasing phantoms."

## ENGINEER DIES AT THROTTLE OF NEW YORK CENTRAL TRAIN

Fireman Halts Locomotive at Foot  
of Washington Avenue and  
Then Makes Run.

Harry C. Parker of Mattoon, Ill., an engineer for the New York Central System, died at the throttle of an eastbound passenger train a few minutes after it had pulled out of the Union Station early yesterday.

The train was stopped at the foot of Washington avenue by the fireman, Lawrence Anderson, also of Mattoon, who saw Parker collapse and fall against the firebox. After a relief fireman had been sent to the train, Anderson took over the throttle. An inquest was to be held today.

Parker, 53 years old, is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Adeline Box, 1080 Art Hill place.

## SANITARIUM INMATE GOES ON RIDE, ESCAPES

Patient, Armed With Knife,  
Captured After Fleeing From  
Custody of Father.

John T. Hickey, an inmate of City Sanitarium, who obtained permission to go for an automobile ride with his family yesterday afternoon, escaped from the custody of his father in St. Louis County, but was captured by State Highway Patrol officers last night at a residence in Kimmewick where he had stopped to telephone his home.

The 27-year-old patient, who had been held at the sanitarium since Sept. 19 for observation, had a butcher knife and a toy revolver on his person, but did not resist the officers.

He escaped from his father, John V. Hickey, 603 Waller place, Lemay, on the grounds of the White House, a Catholic laymen's retreat house on Christopher drive, six miles south of Jefferson Barracks, and walked four miles to Kimmewick, where he went to the home of Joe Beoffier and asked for food and permission to use the telephone.

The telephone call, in which Hickey said he intended to go to Texas, was traced by police. State patrolmen in Imperial, near Kimmewick, were notified and took the patient into custody. He was returned to the sanitarium.

Dr. Francis M. Grogan, superintendent of the sanitarium, told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Hickey was not a violent patient and had been permitted on several occasions to leave the hospital in care of his parents.

Allowing non-violent inmates to leave the sanitarium for brief visits with relatives is a customary practice which tends to "preserve home ties," Dr. Grogan said. Escapes from the relatives are frequent, occurring on an average of once a week, but in nearly all cases the patients are quickly captured and taken back to the sanitarium, he added.

ISAAC F. MARCOSSON TALKS  
ON MEN HE HAS INTERVIEWED

John Hay Groat, He Says: Em-  
peror of Japan and Hindenburg  
Most Inaccessible.

Isaac F. Marcossion, retired magazine writer, describes his experiences in interviewing international news figures to an audience of about 500 last night at the Liberal Forum of Y. M. H. A., Union boulevard and Emright avenue.

Marcossion, a staff writer for 30 years for the Saturday Evening Post, said that in his opinion John Hay, American statesman, was the greatest man he ever talked with.

"Hay had the happy faculty," he said, "of making the most obscure person feel important." He added that the two most inaccessible persons he ever tried to interview were the Emperor of Japan and President Von Hindenburg of Germany.

"Tricky, I suppose, holds the undisputed championship as a long distance talker," he said. "I have known him to ramble on for as long as five hours without a letup."

Marcossion said European correspondence, prior to 1930, held no great opinion of Hitler and made no particular overtures to interview him, chiefly because Hitler "harbored the singular notion that a conversation with him was worth 25 cents a word."

Man Killed in Tavern Row.  
Jessie Thompson, 25-year-old Negro laborer, was killed yesterday morning when shot three times in a tavern at 200 St. Louis avenue, East St. Louis, in a row with another man, identified by witnesses as William Bailey, Negro, 212 St. Louis avenue. Bailey is being held. Thompson lived at 304 St. Louis avenue.

Reports Loss of \$750 in Jewelry.  
Mrs. Thelma West, 728 Clara avenue, reported to police that as she got out of an automobile to enter the American Theater at 8:20 o'clock last night she discovered the loss of a platinum bracelet set with diamonds, valued at \$600, and a platinum wedding ring, valued at \$150.

## BUICK PLANT CLOSED DUE TO FISHER STRIKE

14,000 Out of Work for Lack  
of Auto Bodies at  
Flint, Mich.

By the Associated Press.  
FLINT, Mich., Dec. 5.—The Buick plant of General Motors Corporation was closed at 10 a. m. today because of a shortage of automobile bodies incidental to a strike in the Fisher Body Plant No. 1, settlement of which was announced last night, following a 12-hour conference of United Auto Workers' international officers and General Motors representatives, in Detroit.

At the Fisher plant, however, the picket line was strengthened this morning, and Henry Wilson, president of the Fisher local of the United Automobile Workers, said, "We will do nothing until we receive a report from an international (UAWA) Executive Board member."

Wilson said the local would meet tonight to discuss the settlement. An attempt would be made to operate the afternoon shift in the Fisher plant. Buick, which employs approximately 14,000 men, will not operate until the Fisher plant is re-opened, they said. The Fisher plant employs 4400.

Homestead International president in Detroit attributing the strike to a "misunderstanding" that the local (Fisher) plant manager's decision on the question of changing from piecework to day-work method of payment could not be applied to higher corporation officials.

"This misunderstanding has been cleared up," he said, "and the case will be appealed immediately."

Martin said the agreement would be submitted to the Flint local tonight, and negotiations on the piecework dispute will begin Wednesday.

1500 Chrysler Employees Return to  
Work at New Castle, Ind.  
By the Associated Press.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., Dec. 5.—Approximately 1500 employees of the Chrysler Corporation plant, attributed for three days last week because of a CIO-A. F. of L. dispute, returned to work for the 6:30 a. m. shift today and started wheels of the factory turning for the first time since last Wednesday.

The rest of the 3800 employees, thrown out of work by the dispute, planned to return to their posts on the smaller 3:30 p. m. and 10:30 p. m. shifts.

The agreement reached between the United Automobile Workers of America, CIO union, which claims 98 per cent of the die sinkers' union, A. F. of L. affiliate, did not halt the grand jury investigation of alleged violence which preceded peace negotiations.

Prosecutor M. Edwards said several more witnesses would be called in the inquiry expected to continue through the end of the month. 20 witnesses already have testified.

Spokesmen of the die sinkers' union said the question of affiliation of their organization with CIO "will be negotiated, auto."

POLICEMAN, AUTO VICTIM, DIES  
Doctor Says John Barrett Succumbed to Heart Disease.

John Barrett, a guard at the Deer Street Police Station, who had been in De Paul Hospital since he was injured internally in an automobile accident Oct. 7, died there early today. The attending physician said death resulted from heart disease.

Barrett, who was 63 years old and resided at 4754 St. Louis avenue, was injured when he lost control of his automobile and it struck an iron girder on the Natural Bridge avenue viaduct over the Wabash Railroad tracks.

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## NONE OF BARTENDERS' UNION RECORDS STOLEN

Office Broken Into and Locks  
on Filing Cabinets Jimmed  
— \$10 Taken.

A check today disclosed that no records were stolen yesterday by a man or men who broke into the office of the Bartenders' Union on the third floor of the Mid-City Building, Grand boulevard and Olive street, and ransacked the office. Two locked filing cabinets had been jimmied open and the locks on two desk drawers had been broken. About \$10 in cash is missing.

Officers of the union were ousted 10 days ago after all had been arrested or sought for questioning in connection with the murderous assault on Lee Baker, Negro, chief state witness in the leaders' London bombing case.

The only one who was not arrested is Elmer Dowling, former secretary-treasurer, who had been identified from a photograph by Baker as one of his two assistants. A nation-wide search is being made for Dowling. He is charged in a State warrant with assault with intent to kill and in a Federal warrant with being a fugitive by crossing a State line.

Others who were removed from office in the union were Sylvester (Babe) Baldwin, business agent; John R. (Bab) Moran, recording secretary; Thomas Brennan, president; and James Murphy, sergeant-at-arms. Police have ordered Baldwin and Moran to get out of town.

The burglary was reported to police by Dan Simpson, who was placed in charge of the union by William Brandt, secretary of the Central Trades and Labor Union, after the other officers had been ousted. Simpson made the discovery when he arrived at the office at 2 p. m. yesterday.

Alma Miner, Negro, elevator operator in the building, told police earlier in the afternoon a man, about 35 years old, had asked to go to the lavatory on the third floor. She told him the lavatory was on the second floor and he got off there. She did not see him again, she said, and supposed he came down by the steps. He was the only stranger she saw in the building during the afternoon, she told police.

Brandt said that he had ordered Simpson not to keep any money in the office and that there would not have been any there but for the fact that several members had paid their dues late Saturday afternoon.

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Auto Fatality Laid to Fight  
By the Associated Press.

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 5.—Coroner James A. Crossin said a fight on the highway yesterday between three men resulted in the death of William Hanson, 42 years old, of Clinton, Ia., when he was struck by an automobile. The motorist, Arnold Munson, 28, reported Hanson was staggering. Raymond Prim, 42, Galesburg, Ill., and Matt J. Cummings, 30, of Delavan, Wis., whom Crossin identified as the other two fighters, were held for questioning.

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The special section explores significant changes which have occurred in America in the past decade and looks into the future.

The discussion is limited to America because of the peculiar urgency of American problems at this time, and the special character of these problems in a world of growing conflict between democracy and totalitarian government.

On the occasion of its fiftieth anniversary, the POST-DISPATCH published a symposium on the "Drift of Civilization," and a notable letter from President Coolidge. The Sixtieth Anniversary Section, "Whither America?" adds a new American chapter to the symposium of ten years ago.

## A LEADING FEATURE OF THE ISSUE WILL BE A LETTER FROM PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ON THE FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

Included Will Be the Following Contributions by Distinguished Americans:

THE LAST DECADE: A BALANCE SHEET by James Truslow Adams	SCIENCE LOOKS AHEAD by Dr. Arthur H. Compton
THE TREND IN ECONOMIC SCIENCE by Dr. Alvin Johnson	THE FUTURE OF ORGANIZED LABOR IN AMERICA by William Green
THE STREAM OF TENDENCIES IN AMERICAN GOVERNMENT by Dr. Charles A. Beard	ORGANIZED LABOR AND THE FUTURE OF DEMOCRACY by John L. Lewis
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THE FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN CITY by Lewis Mumford	RADIO: A NEW FACTOR IN CIVILIZATION by Frank R. McWhinney
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THE NEW AMERICAN ART by Thomas Hart Benton	

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# BRITISH MINISTER WARNS GERMANY OF 1914 MISTAKE

Earl de la Warr Asserts Desire of the English to Lead Civilized Lives Is Not Decadence.

By the Associated Press.  
BRADFORD, England, Dec. 5.—Earl de la Warr, a Cabinet Minister, warned Germany yesterday not to repeat the 1914 mistake of thinking Britain decadent and of a growing English conviction that "only armaments can speak effectively." The president of the Board of Education disclosed in an address here Britain's disappointment with the Nazi state since the September Munich agreement.

which dismembered Czechoslovakia, he declared:  
"We were striving for a policy we called appeasement. What response has it evoked?"

The response, he said, was "with a fortnight of Munich, the widest abuse of ourselves and attacks on our politicians that amount to an attempt at interference in our internal affairs and defiance of every canon of civilization in their (Germans) treatment of Jews."

Prime Minister Chamberlain, in a letter to a Conservative by-election candidate, also asked today for a new unified effort in all sections of the national life.

# GRAND JURORS TO GET SECRET INSTRUCTIONS

Judge Says He'll Take Up Important Subject With Panel, in Private.

Circuit Judge David J. Murphy, who impaneled the grand jury for the December court term today, gave only routine instructions as to the matters they should investigate, but told reporters that he would take up with the grand jury privately a subject of importance which he did not wish to disclose publicly.

Harry B. Wallace, 4976 Pershing avenue, president of the Cupples Co., was appointed foreman by Judge Murphy.

# Seminary President



By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.  
THE VERY REV. MARTIN J. O'MALLEY.

# FATHER MARTIN J. O'MALLEY NEW KENRICK SEMINARY HEAD

Succeeds the Very Rev. William P. Barr, Who Retires to Recuperate From Illness.  
The appointment of the Very Rev. Martin J. O'Malley as president of Kenrick Seminary in Webster Groves, to succeed the Very Rev. William P. Barr, was announced yesterday.

# CHARLES LANE, ONE OF TWO MEN WHO ESCAPED, GIVES UP

Continued From Page One.  
Lane was arrested several days later at his home and was found to be suffering from a fractured skull he had suffered in a subsequent labor brawl.

Two Others Named.  
He named John Hursman and James Kuhlemeyer as having participated with him in the assault on Coyle, and signed a statement that Sylvester Woods, CIO organizer, paid him \$10 for beating Coyle.

Why Rynkowski Broke Out.  
Lane, who is 36 years old, spoke quietly. He wore a dark blue suit, white shirt, dark necktie and black soft hat. He said Rynkowski joined in the escape after hearing he probably would be sent back to Michigan as a parole violator.

When Lane was committed to the sanitarium for observation Oct. 11 Dr. Francis M. Grogan wrote to Circuit Attorney Franklin Miller protesting that the institution had no facilities for the safe custody of prisoners, and suggesting he be held in jail. Assistant Circuit Attorney Robert Y. Woodward wrote Dr. Grogan that the Circuit Attorney's office expected no trouble from Lane, explaining that the prisoner had been examined by two psychiatrists, who had expressed conflicting opinions with regard to his sanity, and that a full and competent report of Lane's mental status was desired.

It was learned after Lane's escape that he had told Dr. Edmond F. Sassin, city psychiatrist, that he knew there were no armed guards at the sanitarium and would escape if sent there.

Rynkowski, 31, was captured last Christmas eve after a spectacular holdup attempt at the Gradowohl Jewelry Co., during which he fired his revolver at police. He was found not guilty of robbery by reason of insanity and was ordered committed to the sanitarium last May.

Several weeks later he was held to be sane following tests at the institution, but that did not affect his status, as he was in the sanitarium on a court order.

# BALTIMORE COTILLON TONIGHT; 75 DEBUTANTES TO MAKE BOW

By the Associated Press.  
BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—The swish of hoop skirts will be heard again tonight at the Bachelors' Cotillon, at which some 75 debutantes will make their bows to society.

# CLAYTON APARTMENT IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Early Sunday Blaze at 7520 Oxford Avenue Fought for Three Hours.

Fire starting in a basement locker of a six-family apartment building at 7520 Oxford avenue, Clayton, early yesterday caused damage estimated by Clayton Fire Chief John P. O'Sullivan at \$6000 to the building and \$5000 to contents.

Work of checking the flames was delayed by erroneous statements of excited spectators, who told firemen there were children left in the building. By the time a thorough

search had been made the flames had reached the roof through a plumbing duct. Fire trucks from Richmond Heights, University City and Ladue joined the Clayton department and the fire was brought under control after three hours.

The 30 occupants of the building escaped unhurt. Chief O'Sullivan, who was cut on the face and hands by falling plaster, and Captain Lawrence Jenkins of the Clayton department, who suffered a groin injury when he fell on a rafter, were treated at County Hospital and allowed to return to their homes.

Unconscious at Foot of Stairs.  
Mrs. Louise Woods was found unconscious yesterday evening on a concrete pavement at the foot of a stairway leading to the back door of the first floor of her home at 4956 Page boulevard. She was taken to City Hospital, where it was found she had suffered a fracture of the skull.

Three Men Killed by Gas in Room.  
MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 5.—Three men were found dead in a gas-filled room of a boarding house here today. Authorities said it was impossible to determine immediately whether the deaths were accidental. The dead were tentatively identified as Paul Reed, Joe Conner and Walter Grady Johnson. The men were last seen alive Saturday night.

Walleys Taken From Hotel Room.  
Richard Marshall, of Detroit, Mich., and James A. Elmer of Houston, Tex., reported that their walleys, containing \$385, had been taken from their room on the eleventh floor of the Jefferson Hotel Saturday night or early yesterday while

they were asleep. Marshall's wallet contained \$175 and Elmer's \$210. The walleys, but not the money, were found in a washroom on the eleventh floor.

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These compact little heaters are easily carried around—just plug one in to any appliance outlet and enjoy the cheerful glow of clean, healthful, comfortable electric warmth. Built-in models, too, for bathrooms, sun porches and other spots where extra heat is needed.

You'll appreciate this extra heat a hundred times this coming winter—and it's economical. Electricity is cheap in St. Louis! The heaters are inexpensive, too—from five dollars, or even less, to ten dollars or so for the larger ones—and the built-in ones for heavier duty are proportionately reasonable, as your electrical dealer or contractor can show you. Ask him today, and be sure of warmth, comfort and cheer in the blustery days ahead.

*Electricity is Cheap in St. Louis and Vicinity*

**ELECTRICAL DEALERS AND CONTRACTORS**  
of St. Louis and Vicinity  
DEPARTMENT STORES • ELECTRIC SHOPS • FURNITURE STORES • HARDWARE STORES • RADIO STORES  
in cooperation with UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY



**DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS**  
Untrimmed or SPOR  
Let Her Choose Her C  
\$16.95 to \$19.95  
Values! Amazing  
Smart Rayon Fleece  
New Nubby Weaves  
Boucles! Tweeds!  
Gay Plaid Backs!  
Untrimmed black Coats...  
this season. Tailored and  
fers. Also sports Coats in  
... plaids and mixtures.  
yoke lined, some lined th  
Sizes for Misses: 12 to 20  
"Fast"  
Specially Purchased  
**APRONS**  
For Kitchen! For Dinn  
Colorful  
"Fruit-of-  
the-Looms" 3 \$1  
Popular coverall and pinafore  
styles. Others in sheer  
organdies, print organdies,  
visages.  
Extra Sizes  
Coverall  
Prints— 59c  
Fully cut "Fruit-of-the-  
Loom" and other well-known  
makes. Cut to fit perfectly!  
STARTING TUESDAY  
\$16.95 RO  
Splendid for Gifts  
**\$12.95**  
These are housed in hand-  
some plastic cabinet. He'll  
want one of these for the  
office, his den... or the  
extra room! With a host of  
features that will insure  
splendid performance.  
Barr's Basement Economy Balcony



DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY

HOLIDAY STORE HOURS, 9 A. M. TO 5:30 P. M. DAILY

# FAMOUS-BARR CO'S BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE



## Untrimmed BLACK or SPORTS COATS

Let Her Choose Her Christmas Gift From These!

\$16.95 to \$19.95  
Values! Amazing at

**\$10**

Smart Rayon Fleece!  
New Nubby Weaves!  
Boucles! Tweeds!  
Gay Plaid Backs!

Untrimmed black Coats... very important fashion trend this season. Tailored and dressy styles... as she prefers. Also sports Coats in high colors and darker shades... plaids and mixtures. Heavily interlined... some yoke lined, some lined throughout.

Sizes for Misses: 12 to 20! Sizes for Women: 38 to 44!  
"Fashion Way"—Basement Economy Store



## APRONS for GIFTS

For Kitchen! For Dinners! For Teas! For Prizes!

Colorful  
"Fruit-of-  
the-Looms" **3 for \$1**

Popular coverall and pinafore styles. Others in sheer organdies, print organdies, reverses.

Extra Sizes  
Coverall  
Prints— **59c**

Fully cut "Fruit-of-the-  
Loom" and other well-known  
makes. Cut to fit perfectly!

Print or  
Sheer  
Models— **29c**

Crisp colored or organdy  
Aprons... many prints in  
bibbed and ruffled effects!  
Ideal for gifts.

Sets of 3,  
Neatly  
Boxed! **95c**

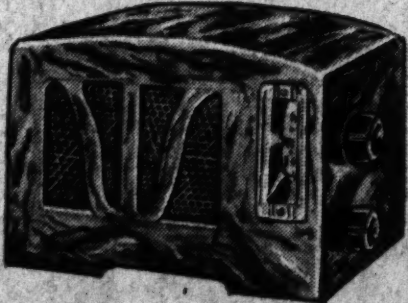
Three of these little pinafores  
in gift package. In regular  
sizes. Tubfast quality.  
Basement Economy Store

STARTING TUESDAY! JUST 25 NEW 1939

## \$16.95 RCA RADIOS

Splendid for Gifts

**\$12.95**



• With Dynamic Speaker!  
• Built-In Aerial!  
• Police Call Reception!

Basement Economy Store

Special Selling Now in Full Swing! Men's  
SMART ALL-WOOL WORSTED

## SUITS Topcoats or O'Coats

Amazingly Low Priced—

**\$14**

Check These Suits—  
All-Wool Worsted! Twists!  
Worsted and Rayon Mixtures!  
Worsted Cheviots!  
Cassimeres!  
Single or Double Breasted!  
Plain or Sports Backs!

### THE TOPCOATS AND OVERCOATS:

Medium and heavy weight fabrics, rayon or set-in sleeves. Half belted and balmacaan styles. Variety of patterns.

\$3 Cash Plus Sales Tax Holds Any  
Garment for Future Delivery. Small  
Alteration Charge.  
Basement Economy Store



## "FRUIT-OF-THE-LOOM" GOWNS for GIFTS

Beautiful New Styles!

PORTO RICANS

**69c**

Cellophane wrapped! Hand-  
applied and embroidered  
yokes. All of "Fruit-of-the-  
Loom" nainsook. Extra sizes,  
19 and 20... 79c.

### PHILIPPINES

**\$1**

Cellophane wrapped! Hand-  
applied and embroidered  
Philippine designs on "Fruit-  
of-the-loom" nainsook. White  
or flesh colors.  
Extra Sizes, \$1.19

### Loomcraft Broadcloth SLIPS—38c

59c and 69c values!  
Loomcraft Broadcloths  
for service wear. White;  
36 to 52.

Basement Economy Store

## "P. N." FRONT LACING CORSETS

To Lend You Lovelier Slim-  
ness During the Holidays  
and Many Months After

**\$3.50** and **\$5**

For Women and Misses  
A: "P.N." famed patented  
"Inner Vest" holds even  
the most stubborn figures  
to smooth trim lines...  
give extra abdominal sup-  
port... \$3.50

B: Famed practical front  
garments... with magical  
method of vanishing bulges  
... of subtracting years  
from your figure the  
moment you don them! For  
miss or matron—\$5.00  
Basement Economy Store



Striking Variety of

## BAGS

For Welcome Gifts

**99c**

• Simulated Calfs!  
• Simulated Buffalos!  
• Camelsuede Cloths!  
• Evening Bags!

Fashion-right styles...  
in popular versions and  
colors that mother,  
sister or sweetheart will  
welcome! Large and  
small types for matronly  
or youthful preferences.

Children's Simulated Calf  
Bags, copies of mother's,  
49c

Basement Economy Store



## WOOL PLAID JACKETS

For Men and Young  
Men! Special...

**\$3.88**

Men's all-wool plaid  
fabric jackets... with  
zip-up fronts, side  
buckles. Sizes 38 to 46  
... splendid for a prac-  
tical gift!

### Trousers, \$2.94

Men's suiting slack  
Trousers with self belts,  
pleated fronts. Sizes 29  
to 36.

### Trousers, \$1.88

Heavy gray stripes mole-  
skin fabric Trousers,  
serged seams, reinforced  
crotch linings. 29 to 50.

Basement Economy Store

BOYS' SAVON or  
FRUIT-OF-LOOM

## Shirts

For Splendid Gifts!

**79c**

Tailored to rigid  
specifications! Hand-  
selected patterns. Color-  
fast quality. Shirts, 8 to  
14½. Blouses, 4 to 10.

Boys' Shirts, 8 to  
New patterns, stripes,  
checks and others!  
Light and dark shades,  
stand-up collars, 8 to  
14½. Sports-collar  
Shirts, 8 to 12.  
Basement Economy Store

**Sale!** Beginning Tuesday!  
Sensational Savings on

## GIRLS' THREE-PIECE Zip-Up Anklet SNOW SUITS

Novelty Wool Combinations! Sizes 8 to 14!

- Fully Lined for Greater Warmth!
- Every Garment Water Repellent!
- All With Fitted Zip-Up Anklets!
- 4 Colorful New Winter Styles!

Fleece Lined Jackets! Striped Wool Trims!  
Fleece Lined Ski Pants! Novelty Embroidered!  
Matching Hats! Multicolor Combination!  
Double or Single Breasted Models Included!

Let the children romp and play in the  
cold outdoors this Winter... for grow-  
ing, healthy bodies! Keep them warm in  
these good-looking, well-made Snow  
Suits! Come down tomorrow—and treat  
the girls to Snow Suits that will make  
them the envy of all their friends.

"Fashion Way"—Basement Economy Store

**\$3.99**

## Reflector LAMPS

Shed New Light on Your Christmas Gift Problems

\$7.95 Value! Special at

**\$6.97**

Bronze plate or ivory and gold tone bases,  
with glowing figured catalin insert. Indirect  
lighting adjustable for 100, 200 or 300-watt  
illumination. Pleated hand-sewn silk shades!

\$1.59 Pictures for  
Gifts ——— **\$1.44**

16x22-in. ornamental 2-in. gold-  
tone frames. Reproductions of  
several landscape subjects.

\$1.98 Mirrors for  
Gifts ——— **\$1.77**

22-inch size brilliant mirrors  
... in ornate gold-tone frames  
in two delightful styles!  
Basement Economy Store



## STUDIO COUCHES

A Gift That Will Live for Years to Come

\$28.95 Value! Special

**\$21.75**

With innerspring mattress which has  
deep layers of cotton linter felt. Easy-  
working back drops to make large bed or  
twin beds. Three innerspring pillows!  
Covered in homespun type material.

Lovely \$3.95 Tables  
for Gifts ——— **\$3.39**

Lamp, end and night tables in  
variety of styles. Conventional  
or modern types.

\$8.95 Pull-Up Chairs  
for Gifts ——— **\$6.95**

Built on heavy frames with  
coil spring seats. Figured wine,  
green or rust velvet covers.  
Basement Economy Store



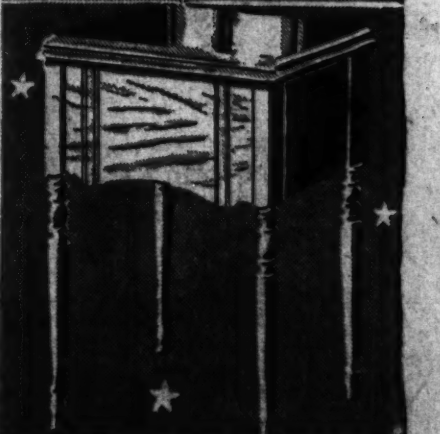
## \$70 Value DOMESTIC CABINET Sewing Machines

A Gift That Lasts for Years!

**\$37.85**

Allowance for your old machine! New  
Domestic electric with full-size head,  
air-cooled motor, knee control...  
fully guaranteed. A limited number  
at this low price... come early—  
be among the lucky few!

Gift Wrapped Sewing Light, 9 Ft. of Cord, \$1.95  
Fit Any Make Sewing Machine—Easy to Attach  
Basement Economy Store



## Many Wear FALSE TEETH

With More Comfort  
TEETH, a pleasant sham-  
ing powder, holds false teeth  
firmly. To eat and talk in  
comfort, just sprinkle a little  
TEETH on your plates. No  
pasty taste or feeling.  
"plate odor" (denture  
odor). Get FASTEETH at any  
store.

## ing Relief e Muscles and Neuritis

Oil and rubbed it in good-  
ly got results.  
when pain racks your joints and  
when soreness cripples your  
when feet are sore and painful  
in your backaches keep you in  
get Omega Oil and feel better.  
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atica, neuritis, rheumatism and  
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## THE LAND VE LIVE IN! Our ADIO PROGRAM Is Again on the Air LISTEN IN! UNDAYS - 6:30 P. M. KMOX



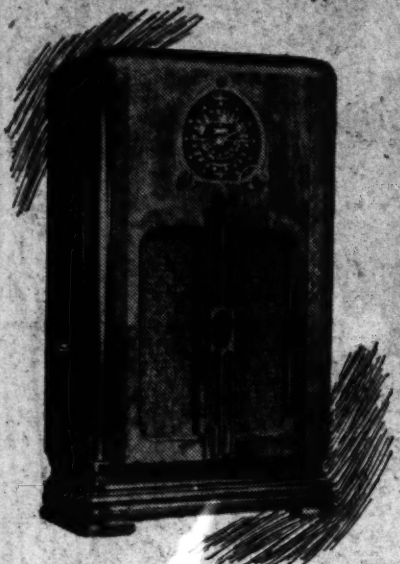
# FAMOUS-BARR CO.

OPERATED BY MAY DEPT. STORES CO.

# ST. LOUIS LARGEST ARRAY OF GIFTS

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## Sale! Just 12 New 1939 ZENITHS!

\$59.95 list! Who'll be the lucky 12 to share this marvelous Radio buy! Full size foreign-American console, model 6S257. Gets police calls. Smart gift!

Extra! Three Other Zenith Specials

\$44.95 List Armchair Model 5S247. — **29.95**  
\$49.95 List Console Model 5S255 — **29.95**  
\$69.95 List Console Model 6S357 — **59.95**

Above Radio Prices include Old Set; \$3 down, plus tax, balance monthly with carrying charge. Radio—Eighth Floor



Real Family Gift! Value-Plus! SALE! BED-HEIGHT STUDIOS

\$49.50 usually! A smart couch by day... full or twin beds by night. Opens to regular bed height! Merely pull a lever and it springs up into place. Has 2 individual innerspring mattresses, walnut-finished arms.

**34.88**  
\$3.50 down, plus tax, \$4.64 monthly with carrying charge. Bedding—Tenth Floor

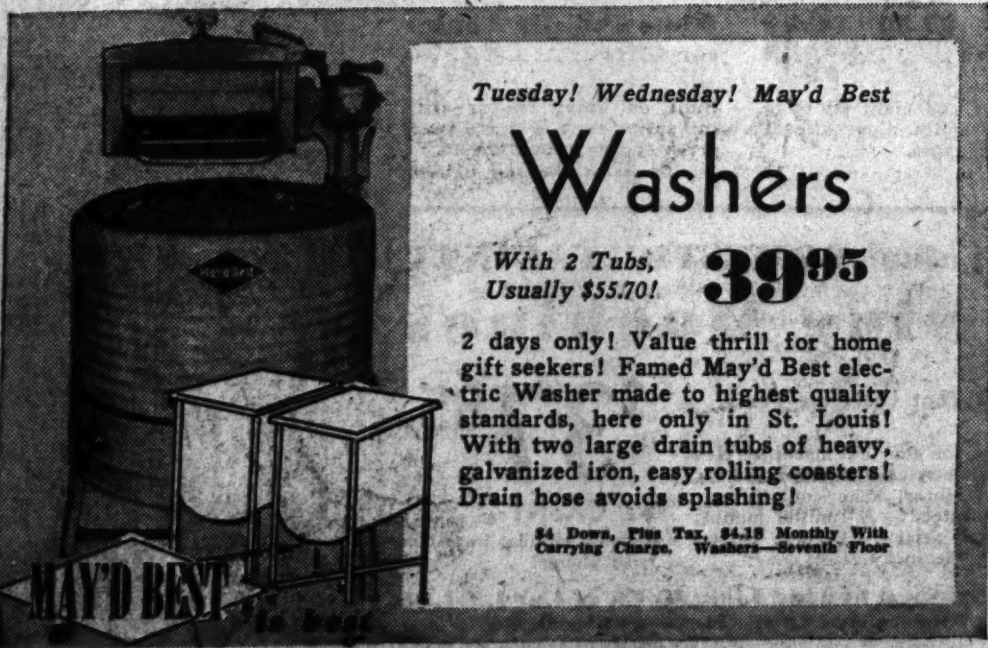


Gift That Carries Weight! Health-O-Meter

## Bath Scales

\$4.98 usually! Modern convenience every home needs! Weighs accurately up to 250 pounds. Solid setting base is trimmed in pleasing colors. Full chrome head, clear vision dial, safety platform with rubber mat. Put this on your gift list!

WELL and TREE SIZZLING PLATTERS Cast aluminum. With pad, serving handles. **1.89**  
POPULAR MAY'D BEST SWEEPERS Easy, smooth running, gets lint, dirt, etc. **1.99**  
SANTA CLAUS BAKING MOLDS Complete with recipes. Tots love them. **1.49**  
DRIPCUT TOP SYRUP SERVER Automatically stops flow, no dripping. **1.00**  
To Famous-Barr Co. for Housewares—Seventh Floor



Tuesday! Wednesday! May'd Best

## Washers

With 2 Tubs, Usually \$55.70! **39.95**

2 days only! Value thrill for home gift seekers! Famed May'd Best electric Washer made to highest quality standards, here only in St. Louis! With two large drain tubs of heavy, galvanized iron, easy rolling casters! Drain hose avoids splashing!

\$4 Down, Plus Tax, \$4.18 Monthly With Carrying Charge. Washers—Seventh Floor



TO GIVE OR TO RECEIVE—

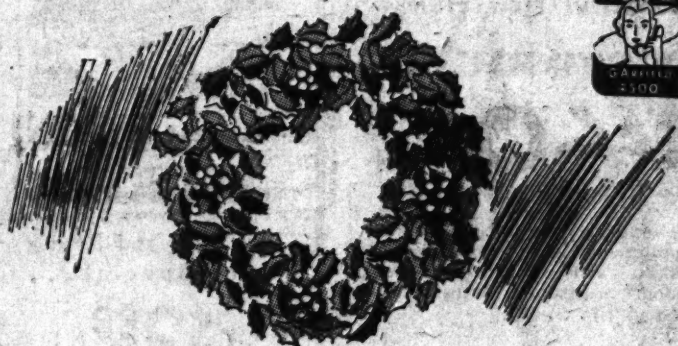
HOME GIFTS ARE SURE TO PLEASE

## Leather Waste Basket Buys

\$8 USUALLY! **\$5**

A gift superb for him or her! This distinctive Calfskin Basket in tan, maroon, blue, green, black or brown is hand-tooled in gold. Lining is washable.

Art Needle—Sixth Floor



Trim Your House as Well as Your Tree!

## Wreaths, Sprays

1000 decorative, colorful pieces, specially priced... to help you make your home say Merry Christmas. **\$1**

16-Inch Green Treated Holly Wreath with Berries, \$1  
Red Ruscus Wreath, beautifully decorated — \$1  
Lycopodium Wreath with Pine Cones — \$1  
Magnolia Wreath with Red Clusters — \$1  
Magnolia Wreaths with Silver Clusters — \$1  
Red Ruscus Sprays in 24-Inch Size — \$1  
Green Ruscus Sprays in 24-Inch Size — \$1  
Decorated Green Ruscus Wreaths, colorful — \$1  
Green Ruscus Wreaths with Red Berries — \$1  
Silver Ruscus Spray with Red Trimming — \$1  
Artificial Flowers—Sixth Floor

## Three-Piece Dresser Sets

LOVELY GIFTS! **\$5**

Unusual and appreciated gifts! Comb, brush, mirror in colored enamel combined with gold plate or plain gold-plate.

3-PC. DRESSER SETS Closets in white and maine, with gold plate **7.50**  
3-PC. DRESSER SETS Plain gold, fancy centers, enameled — **\$12**  
To Famous-Barr Co. for Silverware—Main Floor



## Glass Window Shelves!

\$1.25 USUALLY! **1.19**

2 clear glass Shelves (18-in. upper and 24-in. lower) and 4 hangers. Fasten them to lower window sash, they raise when you open the window. Garden Section—Eighth Floor



Luxurious Lamps With

South American

## ONYX

**39.98**

Truly a sumptuous gift that will brighten your home gloriously for many Christmases to come. Exquisitely styled with gold-plated metal mountings and rich onyx. All-silk shade is made by hand. Other fine Onyx Lamps, \$19.98 to \$64.98, matching bridge styles available in many.

\$4 down, plus tax, \$4.18 monthly with carrying charge. Lamps—Seventh Fl.



Tuesday! Wednesday!

## Westinghouse ROASTERS



## Adjustomatic

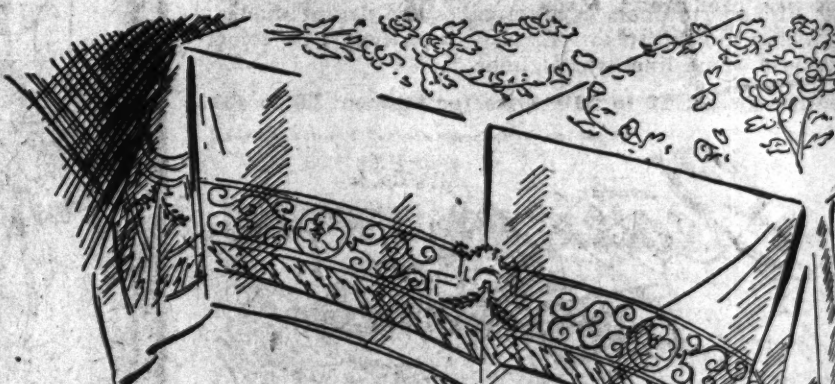
\$18.95 List! **12.98**  
2 days only at low price! Cooks complete meal for six electrically... with oven speed. Has cooking insert, 3-pc. cooking set.



## Rectangular.

\$24.95 List! **19.95**  
Special 2 days only! Will hold 15-lb. fowl or 20-lb. roast. Signal light for selected heat. Aluminum or glass bake insets.

Electrical—Seventh Floor



Spread Christmas Cheer With Lovely

## PASTEL COLOR DAMASK Dinner Sets

For striking gifts, for holiday entertaining! Heavy double damask linen in peach, gold, ivory, blue. 70x90-inch cloth, eight 22x22-inch napkins. Hand hemmed, ready to use. 70x108 cloth, 12 napkins, \$16.95... 70x126 cloth, 12 napkins, \$19.95.

**12.95**

## BEAUTIFUL DOWN FILLED Gift Comforts

\$13.95 ordinarily! A Christmas gift that will be greeted with shouts of joy. Covered with Celanese\* rayon, filled with fluffy white down. Solid colors; green, blue, rose, rust or wine. Full-bed size, cut 72x84 inches.

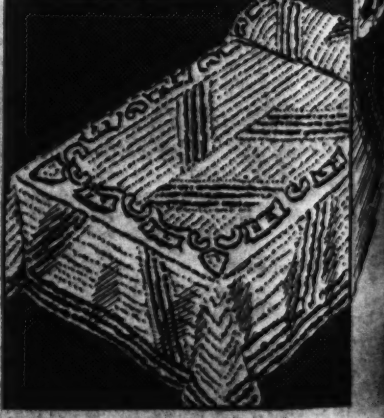
**10.95**

\*Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

## ATTRACTIVE CHENILLE Tuft Spreads

Glorious, practical home gift! Several beautiful designs in all white or colors with white thick, fluffy tufting. Obtainable in either twin or full bed size. Sure to be received with open arms.

Mattress, Spreads, Blankets—Third Floor



## TOWN CANDY

From Sa Can

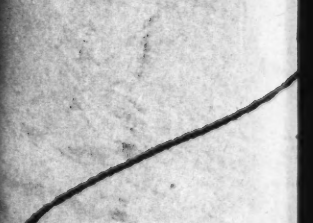


## GIFT BOX

## 5-POUND

Make it a wonderful Christmas for everyone the family... give a box of these, 5 lbs. of smooth rich dark and milk chocolate-covered nuts, fruit cordials, hand-rolled creams, crisp and chewy confections... many other delicious candy gems. Made in our own kitchens.

## Electric





GIFTS

S: 9 A. M. TO 5:30 P. M.

ay! Wednesday!

stinghouse  
MASTERS

Automatic

List! **12.98**  
only at  
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ert, 3-pc. cooking set.

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List! **19.95**  
2 days  
Will hold 15-lb. fowl  
roast. Signal light  
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bake insets.

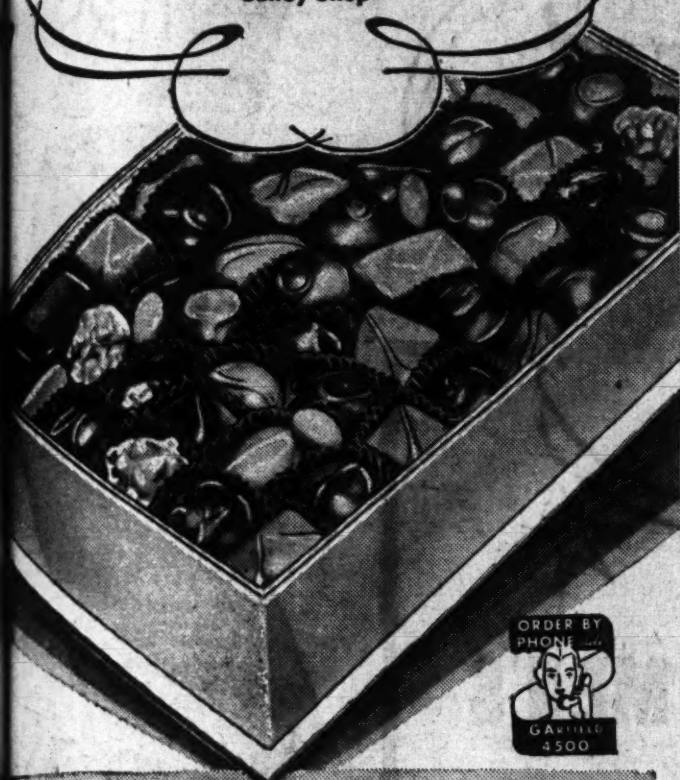
Electrical—Seventh Floor

FAMOUS-BARR CO.  
Operated by May Dept. Stores Co.  
We Give and Receive Much Thanks

ST. LOUIS LARGEST ARRAY OF GIFTS

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TOWN'S NO. 1  
CANDY VALUEFrom Santa's No. 1  
Candy Shop

## GIFT BOX OF DE LUXE

## 5-POUND ASSORTMENT

Make it a wonderful  
Christmas for everyone in  
the family... give a box  
of these. 5 lbs. of smooth,  
rich dark and milk choco-  
late-covered nuts, fruit  
cordials, hand-rolled  
creams, crisp and chewy  
centers... many other  
luscious candy gems. Made  
in our own kitchens.**\$1.79**It's "FAMOUS" for Candy—  
Main FloorLIONEL  
REMOTE CONTROL  
Electric AirplaneLOOPS! STUNTS!  
TAILSPINS!  
SIDESLIPS!**\$9.95**Open the throttle at  
the remote controls  
and the racing plane  
leaps into action...  
sweeping down the  
runway and zooming  
into the air. Push the  
joystick forward and  
the nose of the ship  
points downward.SANTA'S ISLAND CIRQUE  
SHOWS STARTING  
AT 10:30 A. M.  
25c TICKET... of admis-  
sion includes Surprise  
Package, visit to Santa  
and a Jingle Book. Adults  
unaccompanied by chil-  
dren must have ticket.  
TAKE ESCALATOR DIRECT  
TO FORTLAND—  
EIGHTH FLOOR

## MORE OF THOSE EXQUISITE \$2.98

## XMAS GIFT GOWNS

HUNDREDS OF  
WOMEN ARE BUYING!**\$1.98**Three lovely  
moulded Gowns (2  
styles not sketched)  
with as much fash-  
ion emphasis  
as your newest  
formal! Long, hip-  
slimming lines...  
detailed with fine  
laces. They're  
unforgettably low  
priced for your  
Christmas shop-  
ping. All packed in  
holiday boxes.DUSTY, TEAROSE  
SIZES 16, 18 AND 17It's "FAMOUS" for  
Lingerie—Fifth FloorIT'S EASY TO PLAY  
SANTA IF YOU CHOOSE  
SUZY-Q SLIPS**\$1.88**Something new to  
find under a Christ-  
mas tree! Adorable  
Bernberg rayon satin  
Slips with lace-trim-  
med tops and ruffled  
Val Lace bottoms.  
They fit divinely be-  
cause they're cut on  
a true bias. And how  
cute they look peep-  
ing from beneath  
your Skirt!TEAROSE AND WHITE  
SIZES 32 TO 40It's "FAMOUS" for  
Slips—Fifth Floor

## MAIL ORDER

FAMOUS-BARR CO., ST. LOUIS, MO.

Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ Suzy Q Slips at  
\$1.88 each as indicated below.

QUANTITY	STYLE	COLOR	SIZE

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CHANGE \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ S. O. D. \_\_\_\_\_

## SALE SUPREME OF \$139.95 TO \$225

Model  
COATSRICHLY TRIMMED IN:  
SILVER FOXBLENDED MINK  
PERSIAN LAMB**\$118**A special holiday col-  
lection outstanding for  
its freshness and fash-  
ion importance. And  
outstanding for its  
savings. The cream  
of fabrics, best of  
styles and tailoring in  
Coats of rarity and  
character — luxuri-  
ously furred in the 3  
first-ranking furs.Sizes for Misses,  
Women, Little WomenFamous-Barr Co.'s Coat Shop—  
Fourth FloorGIFT TO BE PRIZED!  
OUR RIBBON TRIMMED,  
LONG CARDIGAN**\$3.98**Beloved classic—ours ex-  
clusively, English-looking as  
plum pudding! Careful copy  
of our import even to the  
extra inches and the wide  
gap below the waistline. The  
original was shetland, this  
is the softest shetland and  
wool we could find in lusc-  
ious pastels. White, pink,  
natural, maize, powder blue.  
Long, loose sizes 34-42.Famous Barr Co.'s Sweater Shop  
—Fourth Floor



**FAMOUS-BARR CO.**  
We Give and Receive High Praises



**ST. LOUIS LARGEST ARRAY OF GIFTS**

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DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY

MEN ONLY! See Our Special Showing! 351 Distinctive Christmas Gifts for Men and Women;  
Priced \$5 and Less . . . Musée de Noël, Jefferson Hotel . . . Tuesday, 6 to 9 P. M.



**MUFFLER SALE OF THE YEAR**  
**\$1.65 TO \$5.00 MUFFLERS**

We worked with every first-class Muffler maker in the market to get these . . . gorgeous imports, silks with hand-rolled edges, imported wools and kitten's ear silks, whites, solid colors, Scotch clan plaids, roller print wools and many others. Super buys at \$1.

**\$1.00**

Main Floor

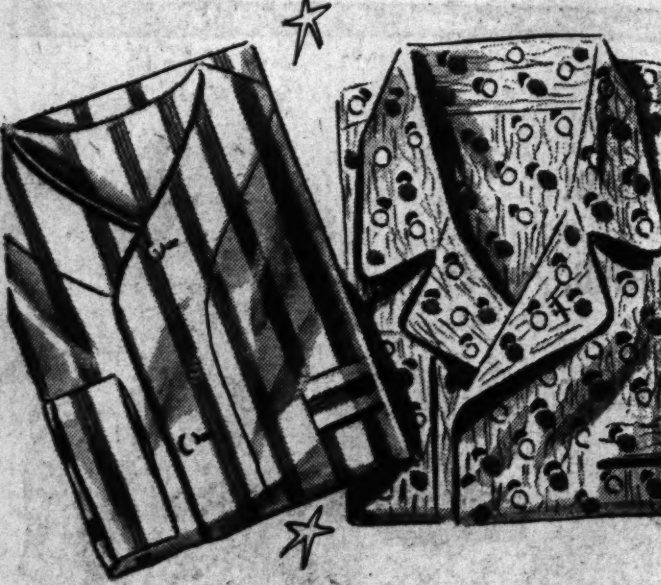


**JUST 200 MEN'S \$10.00 SILK-LINED LOUNGE ROBES**

To call this offering a scoop is putting it mildly! These Robes are made of richly brocaded rayon, lined throughout with silk satin. The wrap-around style that's a luxury for lounging. Black, brown, navy and maroon. The hurry-up call . . . just 200.

**\$5.98**

Second Floor



**3,000 ALL WE COULD GET**  
**\$1.65 TO \$2.50 PAJAMAS**

It's like money found to get your hands on these Pajamas at \$1.35! Dutch neck, no button slip-on, French reversible notch collars, surplus neck button coats and buttonless slip-ons in sizes A, B, C, D . . . for men weighing 115 to 250.

**\$1.35**

Main Floor



*Keep Your Fingers Crossed*

**AND HOPE YOUR SANTA WON'T OVERLOOK THIS SALE!**

**COUNT THE SAVINGS: 65¢ to \$2.15 ON THESE MEN'S**

**\$2, \$2.50, \$3, AND \$3.50 SHIRTS**

30,000 OF THEM . . . HAND-PICKED BY MEN WHO ARE EXPERTS ON SHIRTING FABRICS . . . OFFERED STARTING TUESDAY AT 9 A. M.

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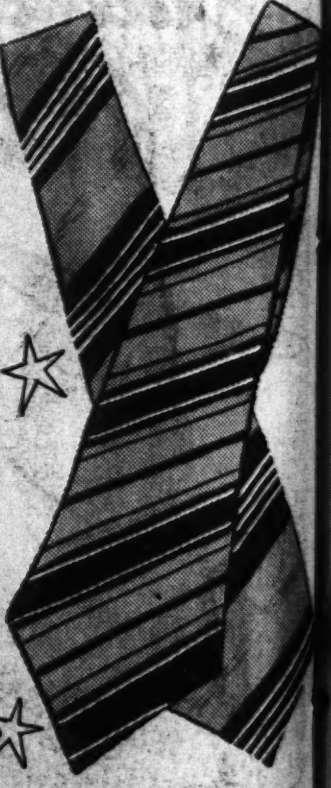
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DIVORCE DENIED BOTH  
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Loflin E. White Filed Cross-Bill After Fifth Mate Sued Him at Clayton.

Both the divorce petition of Mrs. Joane Niebling White and the cross-bill of her husband, Loflin E. White, district manager for the Royal Typewriter Co., who contended he was the injured party and entitled to a decree, were denied today by Circuit Judge Julius R. Nolle at Clayton. Neither gets a divorce.

Judge Nolle took the case under advisement Nov. 10 after hearing testimony in which Mrs. White, 42 years old, charged her husband drank to excess and associated with other women. White testified his wife told him she had "found another man who suited her in every way."

Judge Nolle said testimony indicated both parties were at fault. Their marriage in 1934 was the fifth for White. Before their separation, they resided at 412 Hawbrook court, Kirkwood.

New York Gives Sixth Ave.  
'El' a Farewell Party

Four Trains Required to Haul Throng for Last Ride After Which Passengers Seize Souvenirs.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Workmen boarded up stations of the 60-year-old Sixth Avenue Elevated Railroad today after a sentimental farewell.

Because the "el" is to be torn down shortly and replaced by a city-owned subway, the indignation at its clangor and screeching wheels was forgotten last night. The last trains stopped running at 12:01 a. m.

Four trains were required to haul the throng anxious to pay a nickel for the last ride. Souvenir hunters, boisterous children, policemen, sentimental oldsters, and solemn officials were in the group.

Fannie Hurst, who has often written about the people who live in the shadow of the line, was there, in a crimson gown.

Other passengers were William J. McColl, 78 years old, who piloted the first wood-burning Sixth Ave.

train in 1878, and James F. Collins, 71, who rode as a boy of 11 on the "el's" maiden trip. Collins recalled, smiling, that "the passengers were eager for the ride, but fearful of the consequences, for they sat on the edge of their seats."

The crowd that jammed into the seven-car train at the Fifty-third street terminal last night for the closing southward trip spent more time standing on the seats than sitting on them.

Three hundred and fifty police were aboard to check vandalism, but passengers immediately began unscrewing lightbulbs, ripping off wicker seat cushions and tearing down advertising cards and glass framed copies of the ordinance on expropriation.

The careening half-hour ride down to the battery was in the New Year's eve spirit, marked by laughter, shouting and horse-play, with much tooting of whistles.

OPEN VERDICT IN DEATH  
OF MAN IN FIRE IN YARD

Vahn Aslanian Found in Pile of Burning Papers—Clothes Oil-Soaked.

Vahn Aslanian, retired railroad laborer, was found fatally burned yesterday morning in the back yard of his home, 5187 Enright avenue, lying in a flaming pile of newspapers and tar paper. His clothing was soaked in gasoline and firemen found on the ground close by two gallon jugs, one with an odor of gasoline, the other smelling of coal oil. Aslanian, a 57-year-old Armenian, died at City Hospital two hours later.

A 303, George Aslanian, told a Post-Dispatch reporter he was awakened by the barking of his dog in the basement and also heard the shouts of neighbors.

"I looked out the back window and thought the garage was on fire," he said. "Then I saw a man burning on the ground. My brother, Alfred, and I ran out and then we recognized our father. The tar paper was still burning and we pulled him off."

Barney Lazear, who rooms next door at 5185 Enright, said he was awakened by moans and a bright light. Looking outside, he saw a man on the ground, his clothes afire. The flames from burning papers were shooting up 20 feet in the air. Lazear said he recognized Aslanian. He called his landlord, William Bowles, who telephoned police and firemen.

Aslanian lay about 15 feet from his back porch on tar paper which covered a drain near a concrete walk. Lazear said he noticed a jug and an empty milk bottle close by. Firemen put out the flames with extinguishers.

George Aslanian said he knew of no reason for his father to attempt to end his life. He said his father often arose at 5 or 6 a. m. to burn leaves in the back yard or fire the furnace. He slept alone in a first-floor back room and neither his wife, Armanuhi, nor his sons, George, Alfred and Abraham, saw him leave the house.

An open verdict was returned by Deputy Coroner Alfred Perry, after an inquest today. He said there was a possibility that Aslanian stumbled as he was carrying the inflammable materials across the yard.

Aslanian came to St. Louis with his family from St. Paul, Minn., about 10 years ago. His left leg was injured in an accident in 1919 and he had not been employed since then. His sons are shoe repairers.

WIFE ENDS LIFE AS COMEDIAN  
NEARS END OF HUNT FOR HER

Mrs. Alexander Carr, Estranged From Husband Eight Years, Kills Herself With Gas.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Just as her estranged husband neared the end of a long search for her, Mrs. Helen Cressman Carr, one-time Folies girl, ended her life with gas in her Riverside drive apartment yesterday. She was the wife of Alexander Carr, comedian of the old "Potash and Perlmutter" team.

After many unsuccessful attempts to find her during an eight-year separation, Carr had come to New York a few days ago hoping his opening in a night club this week would attract her notice. Instead, after tucking her 12-year-old daughter, Beverly, into bed late Saturday night, Mrs. Carr placed a rug against the kitchen door, turned on the stove jets, and wrote a farewell note as the gas filled the room. The body was found by the building superintendent after neighbors smelled the gas. Police listed the death as a suicide.

Hours later Carr was found and arrived at an undertaking parlor to find his child at her mother's bier.

Mrs. Carr first was married to Paul Gugger, Connecticut millionaire, whom she divorced in 1923.

YOUTH SEIZED, 155 WATCHES  
STOLEN FROM CAR RECOVERED

Police Say Negro Admits Breaking Into Salesman's Auto and Taking Two Suitcases.

Pollard Brown, 19-year-old Negro, was arrested today at his home, 3024 Lawton boulevard, where police recovered 155 wrist watches and stop watches and clothing stolen last Wednesday night from the automobile of a salesman.

Brown admitted, police said, that he broke a window in the automobile of Ralph Frank, a jewelry salesman, with a brick and stole two suitcases containing the watches and clothing. He led police to hiding places in his basement, where the loot was found.

Frank, a salesman for importers of Swiss watches, had parked his machine in front of 1602 Locust street.

7000 at Flower Shows.

Approximately 7000 persons viewed yesterday the chrysanthemum shows at Shaw's Garden, the Forest Park Jewel Box and the Board of Education Greenhouses, 2800 Blow street. Attendance at the three shows for the month of November was about 150,000. The chrysanthemum shows, to close this week or next, will be followed by displays of poinsettias.

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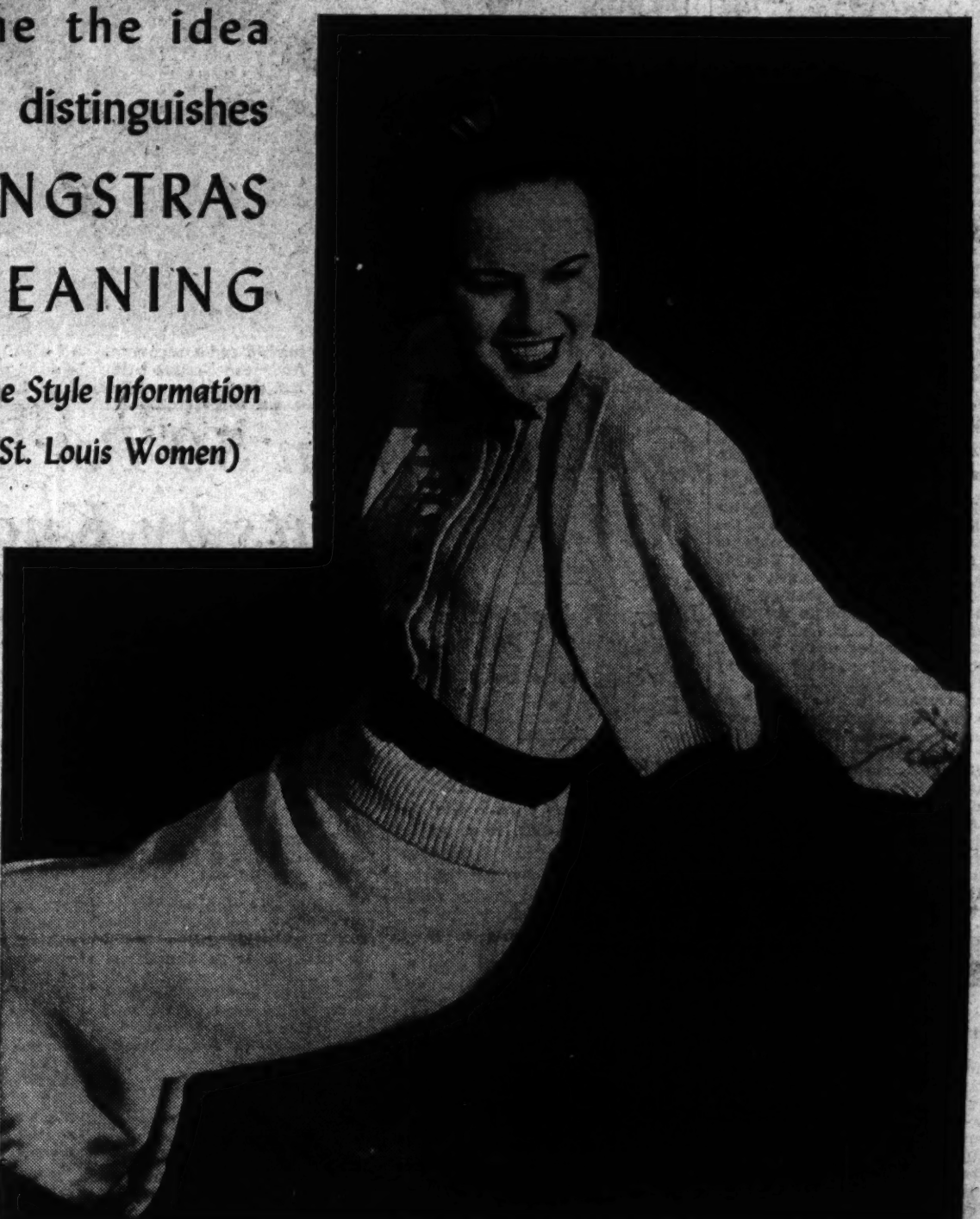
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PART THREE.

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ly Licenses Other Makers  
to Use Devices That It  
Develops.By MARQUIS W. CHILDS  
A Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Edsel Ford told the Anti-monopoly Committee today that any patents obtained by the Ford Motor Co. were always available to any other manufacturer who might want to use them.

The youthful-appearing president of the vast company that his father established recited the facts of the Ford patent policy with obvious pride. He told the committee he believed the company had profited in the long run from this practice of freely granting access to Ford patents.

He went into details of Henry Ford's early fight over the basic patent on the gasoline-propelled motor car.

"My father was told," Edsel Ford said, "that he had better go out and manufacture a few motor cars and gain a reputation—prove he was not a fly-by-night—before he applied for membership in the Automobile Manufacturers' Association."

It was this association that controlled the basic patent, charging originally \$15 a car for the right to the patent.

"In other words, they felt your father was not a proper person to manufacture motor cars," said Hugh Cox of the Department of Justice, who was conducting the examination.

"Apparently that was it," Ford replied as he laughed at the crowd of committee members.

"But if the patent had been really valid, then your father could not have manufactured motor cars, could he?" Cox asked.

"That is true," Ford said.

Sent From 1905 to 1911.

The Automobile Manufacturers' Association, which refused Henry Ford's application for membership in 1903, kept suits pending against Ford from the time the company was established in that year until 1911, Edsel Ford said.

It was in the latter year that the patent was held valid only in connection with a particular type of gasoline motor, I. J. Farley, patent counsel of the Ford company, told the committee. The Ford company never has belonged to the manufacturers' association, Edsel Ford said.

Senator Borah, a member of the committee, asked Farley if he could suggest any changes in the patent law. He said he believed a change which would limit the life of a patent would be advantageous. Under the present law, he said, a patent may run 30 years or longer. He also expressed a belief that the law should be changed so that notice of infringement would be required.

"Under present Supreme Court interpretation," Farley said, "an individual who holds a patent patent does not have to give notice of infringement to a manufacturer. The manufacturer may go on for years unaware that he is infringing a patent. In one instance 27,000,000 cars were manufactured without knowledge that the holder of a patent charged infringement."

Not since 1911 has the Ford company sued on a patent infringement. Ford testified, and that was merely an exceptional case and not indicative of the company's policy.

"Patents Should Be Worked," he said. "We believe that a patent should be worked," Ford told the committee. "We do not believe that the inventor should simply sit back and collect royalties. Therefore, whenever we have been interested in a patented device, we have urged the inventor to get into manufacture and we would then buy the device from him. We believe this encourages him to use his ingenuity."

And does it not also encourage competition? Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold inquired.

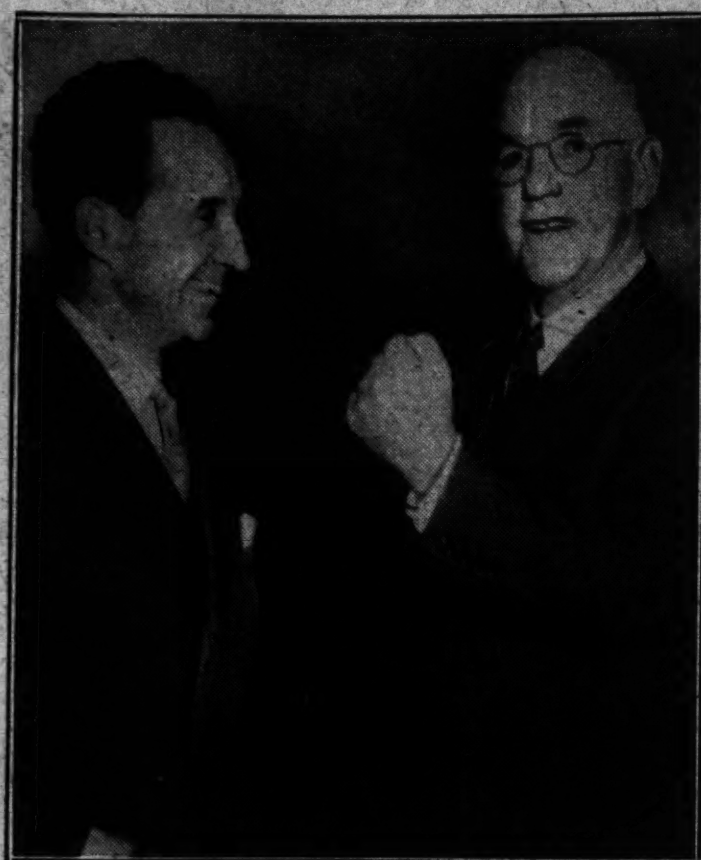
"Yes, we believe so," Ford replied.

There was something of his father's traditional reserve—shyness almost—in Edsel Ford's appearance before the committee. Dressed in a gray business suit, he posed for photographers, who several times asked him to show more action. He spoke in such a low voice that it was necessary to move the microphones on the committee table nearer to him.

Although the Ford company

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## Witnesses at Monopoly Hearing

Associated Press Wirephoto.  
EDSEL FORD (left) and ALVAN MACAULEY, president of the Packard Motor Co., chatting outside the hearing room in Washington today.JAMES ROOSEVELT GETS PRICE-LEVEL IS DOWN  
MOVIE EXECUTIVE JOB ON PRE-WAR GOLD RATENot Sure Yet What Duties Are;  
Sam Goldwyn Says, "I'd Do  
the Best He Can."By the Associated Press.  
HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 5.—James Roosevelt, eldest son of the President, is not quite sure what his movie picture duties will be.

In a press conference this morning the new vice-president of Samuel Goldwyn, Inc., was asked what he expected to do in his new job. He answered: "I'll do whatever Mr. Goldwyn says."

And that, said Goldwyn, will be: "The best he can."

Roosevelt laughed at reports his salary would be \$50,000 a year. He said that was "a little too high."

He said his objective would be to learn all angles of the movie business and that his first two months, beginning Jan. 1, would be spent in Goldwyn's New York offices. He also said that the scope of the movie business with its facilities for "real service" to the public, its rapid growth and its great future, were factors in causing him to accept the Goldwyn offer.

Announcement that he had accepted the movie job was made yesterday. He has made frequent visits here since he came West some time ago to recuperate from a stomach operation.

Through Goldwyn's chief press adviser, Roosevelt issued a statement saying he considered himself "very fortunate now to have an opportunity . . . to work with Mr. Goldwyn in continuing the record of service which this industry has so long maintained."

The movies is the third field of business which young Roosevelt has entered.

He was a partner in an insurance firm in Boston and an officer of a yeast company before becoming a member of his father's secretarial staff in 1937.

Despite his business activities, he has found time for politics although he never has been a candidate for office. In the presidential campaigns of 1932 and 1936 he made several speeches for his father and the Democratic ticket.

Like his father, he attended Groton prep school and Harvard. Unlike his father, he was not graduated from Harvard, however. He spent four years there, flunked languages and quit in June, 1930, to marry Betsy Cushing, daughter of a Boston physician. They have two small daughters.

He went into the insurance business even before he finished his schooling. After leaving Harvard, he entered Boston University Law School and also worked as an insurance man for \$25 a week.

About a year later, the Southern Corporation took over the business and made him a vice-president at \$15,000 a year. Three months later another firm took charge and he became a broker. About that time he met John Sargent and they organized their own firm, Roosevelt &amp; Sargent.

The new firm became highly successful. One of the larger policies it handled was a \$250,000 one on the life of George Washington Hill, president of the American Tobacco Co.

Pope Takes Auto Ride.  
VATICAN CITY, Dec. 5.—Pope Pius XI went outdoors yesterday for the first time since he suffered a heart attack Nov. 25. He spent an hour in the afternoon riding in his automobile in the Vatican Gardens, his favorite recreation.PROPOSES TAXING  
STRIKE LEADERS  
AND IDLE PLANTSC. W. Hazlett at Profit-  
Sharing Inquiry Says His  
Plan Would Solve Prob-  
lem of Jobless.By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—C. W. Hazlett, president of the Hazlett Metals Co. of New York, proposed to the Senate Profit-sharing Committee today that Government levy a high tax on those who call strikes and those who voluntarily take industrial machinery out of production.

Hazlett, author of a book on "Incentive" taxation, told the committee that the taxes he proposed, if accompanied by lower taxes on those who maintain a high rate of employment of their productive facilities, would solve the unemployment problem.

He argued that tax laws should be geared to the production of "fraternal" profits, which he said can come only from "great employment of money, men and property."

"We must make it so profitable for all these things to be in a high state of production and no expense for them to be in a low rate of production that no class, be it labor or capital, can afford to be idle," he said.

Too Expensive to Strike.  
Under his plan, he continued, "obviously it will be too expensive for either labor or capital to strike."

"If labor is made idle by a strike, those responsible for the strike must support those made idle thereby. In any case, the responsibility for supporting idle people is upon those who make them idle, and labor has no fear of the lack of a job or of support."

He argued that the right to strike had not improved the condition of labor because a strike reduces production "and therefore real wages," and because capital also may strike in retaliation.

"The fact that capital can live much longer on its accumulation than labor," he said, "makes the strike of the latter absolutely futile."

Hazlett said he was convinced of the feasibility of his proposal. High Rate on Non-Productors.

"To be more specific, it is a plan to reduce present tax rates on all those who maintain a high rate of employment of their productive facilities. It requires a high rate of taxes on productive facilities taken out of production by the owner, such increased taxes to be for the support of people made idle thereby."

"On the other hand, it proposes to tax those calling strikes to support the strikers until re-employed. It proposes the elimination of relief by giving people a permanent opportunity to work. Moreover, it proposes a tax on idle money with no tax on money in reasonable use."

In a single sentence, Hazlett continued, "it is a proposal to tax those who own or control productive facilities of all kinds to support people made idle by the idleness of those facilities, as a means of permanently preventing idleness and lowering taxes."

Less Turned to Gain.  
Earlier, Joseph M. Friedlander, treasurer of the Jewel Tea Co., told the committee his firm had turned a loss ranging as high as \$20,000,000 a year into profits averaging about \$1,000,000 a year after it began sharing profits.

The Chicago merchandising executive said he believed his company's payment of \$2,179,000 in profit-sharing and \$458,135 in extra wages during the last 10 years had been "a good business investment."

During that period, he said, \$40,289,000 had been paid out in regular wages to employees now numbering 3600.

He explained the company shares 20 per cent of its profits above a base earning figure of \$770,000, which equals about \$2.75 a share on its common stock.

The company substituted for another brother, the Duke of Gloucester, who broke his collar bone Saturday in a fall from his horse while riding to hounds.

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FRANCO PREDICTS  
VIGOROUS FOREIGN  
POLICY FOR SPAINSays That Under the New  
Government Spaniards  
Abroad Will Not Be  
Treated Like Outcasts.By the Associated Press.  
BURGOS, Spain, Dec. 5.—Generalissimo Francisco Franco coupled a prediction of a quick insurgent victory in the Spanish civil war yesterday with a declaration that the new Spain would adopt an aggressive foreign policy.

He told of his plans for the future in an interview given on his forty-sixth birthday in the quiet of his brick villa.

"Our dreams of universality would disappear if we were not to project abroad the true meaning of the new Spain," he said.

"In return for the blood which has been shed the life of our nation must be fruitful. Spaniards who live abroad will no longer be abandoned like outcasts."

"A sentiment of national solidarity will give them help and protection. Henceforth, no one will be indifferent to the sorrows of their brothers, however far away they may be."

The insurgent leader sat beside the correspondent on a sofa in his small office to expound his ideas and hopes for the future of Spain.

Guarded by Moors.  
To reach him it was necessary to pass two Moorish lancer guards at the entrance of his villa. From there the way led up a flight of stone steps and then across a terrace.

Guards directed the way through a hall lined with tapestries and up a stairway to a waiting room occupied by Franco's personal bodyguard.

A door opened into the room where the Generalissimo sat at an oak desk piled with documents, seals and maps. The walls were lined with rich Flemish tapestries.

Franco arose, extended a greeting in Spanish and motioned to the sofa, where for several minutes he answered questions, asked some himself and answered them in the new Spanish.

He declared the Government's continued resistance against the insurgents was "a unique example in history."

"It can only be explained by a total absence of patriotism and the criminal spirit of the Red (Government) leaders," he said.

Charges Killing of 600,000.  
Franco charged that Government leaders had assassinated a half million innocent persons and at present were trying to endeavor to make the people forget these crimes.

"It is true they no longer assassinate as they used to in the streets of towns. The 50 Cheekas (former names of the Soviet Russian secret police) in the hands of the Russians are sufficient to kill in silence and torture without scandal."

With an insurgent victory, he said justice would be accorded all in Spain and he added the belief that most of the Government forces would associate themselves in a united Spain.

"All those who have not committed crimes, who have not incurred heavy responsibilities will be re-established in civil life."

"Our forgiveness is open and generous for those who have been mistaken. Only those who persist in their criminal ideals must be isolated."

The Generalissimo said, however, he did not believe there could be peace without imprisonment.

"The vanquished who have fought nobly can be pardoned, but not so the criminal who satiates his criminal instincts in the blood of so many innocent victims."

Loyalists Preparing for Rebel General Attack, Expected Soon.  
By the Associated Press.  
BARCELONA, Dec. 5.—The Spanish Government is preparing with seasoned troops and co-ordinated aerial defenses to carry on the third winter campaign of the civil war.

There has been little fighting for two weeks with the insurgents concentrating on rear-guard aerial attack, but spokesmen said today that they expected a general attack soon.

Likely sectors are the eastern front between Lerida and Tremp; the Lerida front from the Mediterranean coast to Teruel; and the central front from Guadalajara, north of Madrid, to Aranjuez on the south.

Government sympathizers reason that the insurgents dare not remain inactive, and they say indications are that they are reorganizing for a new drive.

Withdrawals of Foreign Troops.  
Government sources place Italian strength in insurgent territory at 90,000, including 60,000 infantrymen. (These figures do not take into account Continued on Page 5, Column 1.)Sudetenland Gives Hitler  
98.7 Pct. in 'Yes' Election2,152,256 Approval Votes and 26,497 'No' in  
Area Which Germany Won in Munich  
Dismemberment.By the Associated Press.  
REICHENBERG, Germany, Dec. 5.—Sudetenlanders lined up behind Adolf Hitler, 98.7 per cent strong in electing their 30 deputies to the Reichstag yesterday.

Returns from all 86 of the districts Germany won in the Munich partition agreement Sept. 29 showed 2,152,256 "yes" votes and 26,497 "no." Of the 2,111,855 persons eligible to vote, 28,143 did not vote or their ballots were invalid.

Hitler and two Sudeten Nazi leaders, Konrad Heidelein and Karl Hermann Frank, headed the ballot which read: "Do you acknowledge our Fuehrer, Adolf Hitler, the liberator of Sudetenland, and do you give your vote to the list of the National Socialist German Labor party?"

A circle about one and a half inches in diameter was provided for "yes" votes and one four-fifths of an inch across for "no" votes.

Including Sudetenlanders who voted in other sections of Germany there was a total vote of 2,464,494 "yes" and 27,439 "no," raising the percentage to 98.9.

United States delegation would return by the Grace Line steamer Santa Clara, sailing Dec. 27, probably not waiting for the close of the conference.

PHILADELPHIA CITY TAX  
ON INCOMES HELD VALID  
State Supreme Court, However, Strikes Out Provision to Exempt Earners of \$1000 and Less.  
By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—The Pennsylvania Supreme Court declared constitutional Philadelphia's 1½ per cent tax on incomes today, but struck out the provision which would have exempted wages of \$1000 and less.

Passed two weeks ago, the levy on wages, commissions and fees, earned in Philadelphia whether or not the receiver lives in the city, was taken to the court for a test by a civic organization.

The exemption clause was declared void by the court because the State Constitution requires that taxes be uniform.

LONDON TO RETURN BY AIR  
Will Leave Lima 10 Days After  
Conference Opens.  
By the Associated Press.  
LIMA, Peru, Dec. 5.—AM M. Landon, member of the United States delegation to the Pan-American Conference here, has made arrangements to return home by airplane, leaving Lima Dec. 19, 10 days after the conference opens.

An executive of Pan-American Airways said the reservation was made in Washington. Informed persons asserted that the main

NEW CONGRESS  
LIKELY TO SPEND  
\$10,000,000,000Some Members Say Outlay  
May Exceed This Year's  
Peace-Time Record of  
\$11,361,815,000.By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A prediction that the 1939 Congress will spend at least \$10,000,000,000 and may equal or surpass this year's peace-time record of \$11,361,815,000 came today from some of the members already here for the January session.

The administration's defense program and continuing relief costs were among the factors they cited as tending to prevent any substantial cut in appropriations.

President Roosevelt's budget recommendations will not be disclosed for another month, but a House subcommittee went to work today on the first of the 10 regular appropriations bills. It covers funds for independent Federal agencies, and Representative Woodrum (Dem., Virginia), chairman of the group, said he saw little chance of saving much money in those agencies, adding that "expenditures for veterans and Social Security benefits are going to keep increasing."

There have been unofficial estimates that the projected armament program would cost \$1,500,000,000. Some legislators have suggested tax increases to meet the expense.

Roosevelt has talked with congressional leaders about defense needs, as well as farm legislation, relief and other problems, but has given no indication of the administration's intentions on any subject.

One usually well-informed Congressman predicted that disaffection with the crop control program, as evidenced in the November elections, might lead the administration to recommend parity payments on major crops. This would entail an expenditure of about \$1,000,000,000, which might be raised through a processing tax.

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its editorial principles; that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight for the rights of the people, never favoring any party, always opposing privilege and public plunder, never losing sympathy with the poor, always remaining devoted to the public welfare; never be satisfied with merely printing news; always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER  
April 26, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

A Clear-Out Case for Housing Authority.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I WAS most interested in your editorial in support of passage of an enabling act by our Legislature so that we may be permitted to establish our own housing authority and make a start with slum clearance in St. Louis. Roughly, two-thirds of the states have passed such acts, and as a result most of the funds available have been earmarked by the USHA for other municipalities. Therefore, if we are to share in these funds, it is urgently required that the enabling act be passed this winter.

Slums are breeding grounds for disease and crime. Their elimination cannot be effected by private enterprise, because the construction of acceptable low-cost housing to replace slums is not profitable to such enterprise. As a result the USHA was formed and it will advance funds to local housing authorities on certain conditions, two of which are that the state enable the creation of such an authority (the personnel of which must be acceptable to the USHA) and that this authority submit a well-considered and definite project of slum clearance before it can receive any funds. Incidentally, the USHA must not be confused with the FHA, the purpose of which, as a mortgage guarantor, is to stimulate and assist construction of housing by private interests for persons in the middle income range.

A great deal of time will be used in forming an acceptable local authority and more time will be consumed in formulating an acceptable project. The latter will undoubtedly provide a first-class battleground when its location and size are to be decided, because we are, unfortunately, well provided with slum areas.

ST. LOUISIAN.

## A Tribute to a Cartoon.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I CANNOT refrain from telling you how magnificent your cartoon of several days ago was in showing Militarism robbing the bodies he had prostrated of their jewels and wealth. Your cartoons are always powerful, but you outdid yourself on that one. None of the millions of words written on present-day events in Germany, excellent as they have been, put the matter quite so concisely or perfectly as your cartoon.

BERTRAM BENEDICT,  
Washington.

## Failure of "Decent Citizens."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I N a letter in this column, Prof. Theodore Graebner of Concordia Seminary said upon the citizens of St. Louis as "decent citizens." In a recent editorial the Post-Dispatch said a better method must be enacted for selecting judges. As a matter of fact, it would seem that a better method is needed for selecting all public officials.

The decent citizen is often taken to task for failure to vote. But this business of voting is a very disheartening ordeal. On election day he is handed a ballot of names carefully selected by politicians. It does not seem to make much difference whether he votes for them. Therefore, all this commotion about cleaning up St. Louis will come to naught unless we find some way to rid the city of unfaithful office-holders. Racketeers use labor unions to exact tribute and to elect politicians who will aid them in their plans. Crooked politicians use racketeers to exact tribute from business men and to increase their power.

Many business men have long ago quit trying to buck the political organizations and allied racketeers. They seeked the safety and comfort of trying to protect their workers from unscrupulous labor leaders with pull.

R. E. P.

## In Favor of Bookshops.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I WOULD like to say a few words in favor of the bookmakers. I wonder if the people of St. Louis realize how many clerks and porters are employed by the bookies, and how many stores they occupy. I should think we have enough vacant buildings as well as unemployed people without adding more to the roll. When you place a bet you are doing it on your own free will, for they don't beg you to come in and make the bet.

H. R. HORSTMAN.

## Reply to President Hutchins.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I N the current issue of the Saturday Evening Post, President Hutchins of Chicago University writes in a lengthy trade against athletics in colleges and universities. President Hutchins showed particularly wretched judgment and tact in openly naming St. Mary's College in California as an institution forced into a financial impasse through athletics, its building reveries and its sports. Such has not been the case. The financial distress was caused by an over-ambitious building and expansion program, probably unwise. The Catholic Bishop of the diocese took care of the obligation to the bondholders, the latter losing nothing, while St. Mary's still is a going institution. The Chicago President shows a definite bias against athletics, when in his article he likens "athleticism to crime," a statement amazingly indiscreet and tactless and senseless. St. Mary's College was not sold at auction.

JOS. A. GAZZOLO.

## LIMA'S HISTORIC HOUR.

The news center of the world will, within a few days, be Lima, Peru. The Eighth International Conference of the American States will formally convene in that city on Friday. As in most conventions of primary importance, the deliberations will largely be conducted "in committee." The discussions for the most part will not get into the dispatches. The conclusions as reported and adopted in open debate will be scrutinizingly read in all the chancelleries.

For Lima, as our correspondent stated in Sunday's paper, will answer Munich. No direct rejoinder will be attempted. The reply of the Western Hemisphere to the "deal or deal," which purchased the peace of Europe at a price to be calculated only by the inexorable mathematics of events, will be found in the moving spirit of the conferees, in the philosophy that shapes and colors the occasion.

By every token of the times, it is a historic hour. Happily, too, a keynote of our Western world's philosophy has been struck by a former President of Panama, Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, in a truly classic definition of Pan-Americanism:

Pan-Americanism (he says) is not an institution, neither is it a system. It is a state of mind, a current of opinion created by a series of factors: geographical contiguity, the similarity of institutions, the interplay of economic interests, a love for democratic principles, the community of international aspirations and trends. Such a continental sentiment does not breed political purposes or designs. It simply interprets itself in acts tending to draw more closely the social, economic and cultural bonds of the two Americas.

Such is the professed credo of the Americas. Contrast our avowed "love for democratic principles" with the saber-rattling egomaniacs of dictators! The English philosopher, Bertrand Russell, has done it compactly. Democracy, he writes, "regards the welfare of the state as residing ultimately in the welfare of the individual," while totalitarianism "regards the state as the end and individuals merely as ingredients whose welfare must be subordinated to a mystical totality which is a cloak for the interest of the rulers."

Lima will, in a word, speak a different language from that which the world listened to at Munich. Think in different terms, envision an incompatibly different ideal. The speech of Munich reeked with the violence of tyranny glorified, of force triumphant. The objective of Lima will be predicated on democracy's first premise—the individual's right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Democracy will be demonstratively present at Lima in the personnel of our delegation. The appointment of Mr. Landon, and his acceptance in the fine spirit that "politics ends at the water's edge," give a wholesome flavor to the project. The point need not be labored. Suffice to say that our representatives, as a group, in the distinction of their attainments and their breadth of interests, constitute an impressive vindication of the theory and practice of our American democracy.

Be it admitted, too, in advance, that no millennial sunburst will flame above Lima's horizon. But that is the goal, however distant, on which the genius of Pan-Americanism has fixed its gaze.

## IDEAL STATISTIC.

A statistic ideally suited to political purposes has just been released by the Treasury Department. It is so admirable a computation, in fact, that both major parties can use it with great satisfaction.

We refer to the Treasury's statement that 61 persons reported incomes of \$1,000,000 or more in 1937. Along with that comes a comparative figure of 20 such incomes in 1932. Here's how the rival parties can use these enticing facts:

**Democratic version:** The howls of economic royalists about being ruined by New Deal policies are wholly refuted by Treasury figures. There were actually three times as many million-dollar incomes in 1937 as in 1932!

**Republican version:** The New Deal pretensions of progress toward more nearly equal distribution of earnings are wholly refuted by Treasury figures. There were actually three times as many million-dollar incomes in 1937 as in 1932!

Now let the battle roar.

## ROSE BOWL DAY IS SAVED.

The year has been one Battle of Marathon after another for the Notre Dame football team. Persians, Saracens, Turks, or whatever, the Ramblers have taken them all in their swinging stride, and the Alexandrian campaign of the lamented Roake was about to be paralleled, if not surpassed, under the leadership of one of the late warrior's lieutenants, Elmer Layden. But a council of the gridiron's Olympian deities decreed otherwise. So Southern California won, and Los Angeles, present in the mood and measure of more than 100,000, saw the Rose Bowl day rescued from the deadly irony of "just another football game."

That was the issue in Saturday's struggle. Had Southern California lost, it would have had to carry the stigma of three defeats into the packed arena. Such a record were a ragged title to the status of the West coast's supreme eleven. As it is, Southern California has vindicated the judgment of the awarding committee by qualifying as the only team, East, West, North or South, to stop the "Irish."

Down at Durham, N. C., they were ostensibly listening to Walter Lippmann, but mostly the student body was repeating the score from Los Angeles and wondering, it may be guessed, how it would be with Duke in rose-wreathed Pasadena.

He may have flunked the languages at Harvard, but under Prof. Sam Goldwyn, Jimmy Roosevelt will learn English that will make the elms of Cambridge sob like weeping willows.

## WHY AIRCRAFT CARRIERS FOR GERMANY?

In bolstering its rapidly growing navy with two powerful aircraft carriers, Germany will further arouse the suspicions of the world. The limited confines of the North and Baltic seas, and the fact that all European nations lie well within bombing range of land-based planes, make it reasonable to wonder just what use is to be made of the aircraft carriers. Even Italy, successfully challenging Britain's supremacy in the Mediterranean, has found no use for carriers. Although placing great dependence on her air arm, Italy has found land bases to be sufficient for aerial operations over a body of water far greater than the North Sea. France, a colonial Empire, has one obsolescent aircraft carrier. Can it be that Germany is thinking of operations far from the North Sea? The German press is emphasizing the launching date for the first

carrier. It is next Thursday, the anniversary of the battle of Falkland Islands, in which a German cruiser squadron was destroyed in South American waters by British battle cruisers.

## WHY NOT GIVE SEWARD A HEARING INSTEAD?

Sam Goffstein, crooked professional bondsman and Municipal Courts Building hanger-on for years, was finally put in the penitentiary last May, just three years and eight months after he had been charged with receiving stolen property. Next Thursday, seven months after he began his three-year term and with 14 months yet to serve before he would be eligible under the seven-twelfth merit discharge rule, he is to get a parole hearing. It was a long and arduous task to get him convicted. There is no reason why the reverse should apply to efforts to turn him loose. In fact, there is no good reason why State Senator Kinney, Alderman Israel, or any of the others recommending his parole should have done so.

At his first trial, in November, 1936, Goffstein escaped conviction because a fellow-professional bondsman held out for acquittal. That juror was indicted on a charge of perjury for remaining silent when members of the jury were asked if they were acquainted with Goffstein or his attorney, the late Verne Lacy. The perjury charge, technically defective, was dismissed. At the second trial, in January, 1937, it took a jury but 40 minutes to agree on his guilt and the degree of punishment. Goffstein appealed to the Missouri Supreme Court, only to lose his appeal in a decision returned last May.

If the Parole Board wants to give a chance to somebody who merits it, why doesn't it take up the case of James Seward, alleged killer of Andrew Deak in Herculaneum in 1921, now serving a life term. These columns have pointed out the grave doubts as to Seward's guilt, and leading citizens have urged that he be given the consideration of a parole hearing. There was never any doubt as to Goffstein's guilt. Why should the Parole Board consider his case when he has 14 months to serve before he would be eligible for consideration under the merit discharge rule through which convicts with good prison records are normally released?

## THE CABOT AWARDS.

Through an arrangement between Dr. Godfrey Lowell Cabot of Boston and the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, annual awards of \$1000 prizes, together with gold medals, will be made to American newspapers and newspaper men for advancing "sympathetic understanding among the peoples of South, Central and North America." The awards, in memory of Dr. Cabot's late wife, will be placed on a permanent basis if experience with them during two years proves satisfactory.

The idea behind Dr. Cabot's benefaction is excellent and it is hard to see how it can be anything but a success in practice. A common realization today is the need for strengthening the bonds between the peoples of the Americas, for that and the developing of new ties that will bind our democracies together in a united front against Fascist rule. Popular interchange through interpretative newspaper reports and editorials should be a great aid to that end. The Cabot prizes recognize a notable journalistic opportunity.

## NUTS.

The Baltimore Sun casts its editorial eye over the annual report on nuts, issued by the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics, and finds reason for alarm. The nuts most popular in America, the bureau says, are the walnut, the pecan, the cashew, the Brazil nut, the chestnut and the almond, in that order. But where, the Sun demands, is "what most people would assume to be the favorite American nut"—the peanut? Its astounding absence rouses distrust of Federal statistics in the Sun's justice-loving bosom.

May we rise to inquire politely whether the Sun really knows what a nut is? Is it aware that, according to Webster, it's "an indecisive, polycarpellary, one-seeded fruit, with a woody pericarp developing from an inferior syncarpous ovary"? That description, as all we botanists know, doesn't fit the peanut, which is merely a fruit or pod or seed, as one pleases, but never, technically speaking, a true nut. If the Sun wants figures on the peanut's popularity, they are usually found in reports under Farm Products or Other Grains and Seeds.

No, the peanut isn't out of fashion, nor are Federal reports untrustworthy. It's just that a Government report on nuts is confined to nuts.

## SON JAMES IN HOLLYWOOD.

Son James continues his meteor-like career. Just now he appears like a sunburst in the western sky where he enters the movie business from the ground up as vice-president of Samuel Goldwyn, Inc. It is mere coincidence that he receives this job at the very time the Federal Government is proceeding against the movies for anti-trust law violation? James has been successively a dairy farmer, an insurance salesman extraordinary and secretary to the President of the United States, to say nothing of being a busy politician on the side. Son James surely will not be content to sit at a desk in glamorous Hollywood. He will, no doubt, soon be in starring roles playing opposite Joan Crawford, Greta Garbo and Hedy Lamarr. Can Son James' light be held under a bushel? In the Samuel Goldwyn idiom, the answer can be told in two words: impossible.

## THE LOCH NESS MONSTER BOBS UP AGAIN.

That fabulous sea monster of the waters of Loch Ness, near Inverness, Scotland, has bobbed up again, after an absence of a few years. Apparently it has left the Caledonian littoral for the vicinity of Southwold, resort town on the North Sea coast.

The captain and mate of a trawler anchored off Southwold recently asserted they saw "a creature 60 feet long, with a body like a camel and a very small, round head." Two days later, a reporter for the London Daily Telegraph wrote that he saw the monster, just as described by the sailors, hump and all, approach the shore and then head out to sea.

During the months that the monster was being reported from time to time at Loch Ness, the little town of Inverness did a thriving tourist business. Inns were full. Pubs were full. The monster was depicted on postcards, in paper weights and toys. Sales were good. Perhaps Southwold is in a bit of a slump. Sea serpents have for many years had a habit of appearing near resort towns.

Incomplete returns indicate that Adolf Hitler has carried Swedenland.



## EXPLORING OUR OWN LAND.

## Do Historians Tell the Truth?

Textbooks persist in repeating legends and folklore that have long since been disproved, says writer; cites as examples of perversion the popular accounts of the "Boston massacre," the ride of Paul Revere and Pinckney's reply to Talleyrand; calls on educational authorities to bestir themselves for greater accuracy in school histories.

Nathan Schachner, Author of "Medieval Universities," in the American Mercury.

AROUND the turn of the century, the story of America began to be revised. Competent historians dug into the sources, and viewed with a critical eye the hoary legends that had passed muster for generations of naive believers. Revisions crept into the schoolbooks, so that today Miles Standish and his poetic company are dismissed with an indulgent gesture and even the tots in kindergarten laugh heartily at the tale of Washington and his hatchet.

But, in spite of modern research, in spite of the fact that the truth has been told, the schoolbooks have done their share in perpetuating the moral little tale. Even traitors, it is decreed, must eventually bemoan their treason and seek to wrap themselves in the garments of repentance. Mr. Robbins thus describes the touching event:

"When he (Arnold) knew that he was about to die, he had himself dressed in his Continental uniform. 'Let me die in my American uniform in which I fought my battles,' he said. 'God forgive me for ever putting on any other.'"

The one person best fitted to vouch for the manner of Benedict Arnold's death was his wife, Peggy Shippen Arnold. There is in existence a letter in which she described her husband's last days in great detail. Not only is there no mention of this mortal stage, but there is decisive refutation implicit in its contents. The last illness of Arnold, she writes, began with a sore throat and swelling, so that he "was entirely disabled from swallowing, or speaking for three days."

The final example in our gallery of persistent schoolbook errors is one that has thrilled countless Americans for generations. I refer to that ringing patriotic declaration delivered by Gen. C. C. Pinckney when confronted with Talleyrand's demand for a huge bribe in exchange for peace. Mr. Montgomery reports it as follows:

"But Pinckney never made the remark. What he did say, as set down in the Journal of John Marshall, one of his fellow-commissioners, was 'It is no, no; not a sixpence!'"

The phrase as it has come down, both in learned histories and in textbooks, first made its appearance as a toast drunk at a dinner in honor of John Marshall on his return to America to report the failure of the mission. Its author is unknown.

Many other examples of these legendary tales could be culled from the school histories upon which our children depend, but space limitations forbid. The true facts are known, and should be part of the intellectual equipment of every scholar. Yet until the educational hierarchy bestirs itself, American children will continue to be taught myth rather than history.

There is, for example, the case of the Boston massacre. Every good American knows about it, and knows that this instance of British barbarity was chiefly instrumental in bringing about the Revolution. Nor does the following excerpt from the volume written for the schools by Waddy Thompson do anything to alter this conception. He writes:

"The troops (in Boston) had been giving considerable trouble, and the feeling against them was bitter. A quarrel arose between a party of soldiers and some of the inhabitants. The soldiers discharged their muskets, killing five persons and wounding six. The 'Boston massacre,' as it was called, sent a thrill of horror over the country."

But actually the British soldiers were not to blame. The populace of Boston had been whipped up to a frenzy of excitement by the artful methods employed by that master of propaganda, Sam Adams. Bostonians had burnt the mansion of Lieutenant-Governor Hutchinson to the ground and had sacked it; they had jeered and yelled obscenities after the soldiers for weeks.

Finally, near Boston Common, a mob gathered to bait a solitary sentry. First came snowballs, then bricks and stones. The sentry called upon his comrades for help; they tumbled out to meet more bricks, cudgels and uglier weapons. A soldier, staggered by a missile, fired. The shot started a volley. Four of the rioters were killed. Then Capt. Preston, in command, regained control of his men and forced them to cease firing.

When, on the demand of the enraged Bostonians, the British military authorities surrendered the offending soldiers and their Captain to be tried for murder before a civil court and a jury of Bostonians, they were acquitted of the murder charge. John Adams and Josiah Quincy, patriots both, actually appeared as counsel for these murderous minions of a foreign military Power.

Then there is the case of the midnight ride of Paul Revere and of the Minute Men at Lexington. But how many have heard of William Dawes? Very few. If the school histories had anything to do with it, Of some 30-odd texts that I have examined, only three mention Dawes. Yet William Dawes was the official messenger chosen by Joseph Warren to ride to Lexington and warn Sam Adams and John Hancock that the British were coming.

Paul Revere himself testified to this. Revere was sent out after Dawes had already started.

## ADD DEFINITIONS.

From the Jersey Journal (Jersey City).  
You can honestly spot a conservative. He is a liberal in temperament who is afraid to steal second.

## So It Was All for the Best

From the Baltimore Sun.

SENATOR BENNETT CHAMP CLARK is a political optimist if ever there was one. He believes that all is for the best in the best of all possible worlds. He said as much in Washington the other day in commenting on the recent elections.

He interprets the results as indicating that everybody won and nobody lost. The Republicans actually scored the big numerical gains, and were thereby, in Senator Clark's opinion, saved from the oblivion into which their party would have been forced by another New Deal landslide.

The Democrats actually lost a lot of seats in the House and Senate, but the losses, according to the Missouri Senator, will save the party from disintegration. Had the party secured congressional majorities comparable to those which it has commanded during the past six years, he thinks it would have split up.

There is a lot of good sense in what Senator Clark says. The New Deal wing of the Democratic party probably looks at things in a somewhat less hopeful light. Some of its most ardent supporters in House and Senate went down to defeat. The combined vote of anti-New Deal Democrats and of Republicans may easily be large enough in the new House of Representatives to defeat administration measures. That is not at all to the liking of the coterie for which Harry Hopkins and Thomas Corcoran are accustomed to speak.

And, of course, it may be that the administration will plot a die-hard course which will negate Senator Clark's optimism and justify the more dismal views which its own close adherents take of things. But if the administration is prudent, it will give more consideration to the views of the party as a whole and try to frame a program that all members of the party can support. And if it does this, Democrats will tend to become a stronger, more coherent party.

However, it is probably much easier for a man re-elected by a large majority, as Senator Clark was, to see this than for one of the defeated Democrats.

## PROSPERITY IS STIRRING.

William Allen White in the Emporia Gazette.  
PROSPERITY, which has been just around the corner since the little Hoover nearly 10 years ago, and has slept through Roosevelt's recession, seems to be stirring in her sleep. Every indication in the business world points to a real return of business activity.

The election helped, purely psychologically. Perhaps the election helped because there is nothing that politics can do to affect the situation except a sort of left-handed guarantee that because the Republicans won 51 Congressmen and a bunch of Senators and a flock of Governors, something much will be done. But as it may, business seems to be looking up. Prosperity is stirring in her sleep.

Everything looks bright, "the gray days are breaking," and it would be a great favor to the human race if one of the high gods on Olympus in a prankish moment would throw a bucket of cold water on prosperity and wake her wide up, madder'n a hen.

She might get a move on her—and, oh boy, do we need her!

## MUTUAL REFRIGERATION.

Howard Brubaker in the New Yorker.  
Our relations with Mussolini remain cool. We refuse to recognize the conquest of Ethiopia, and should be given a frosty glare at Popeye and Mickey Mouse.

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IN A NEW little book called "Battle," Hendrik van Loon says that autocracy is the

had democracy. That is certainly true, and is an example of it. Back of this, this column attempts analysis of the French situation, which has been a very interesting and significant country, because France, under the Popular Government, from all the ideas of achieving prosperity, drastically raising labor costs, disorganizing the public, while diminishing all income, capital and without regard to the European political situation has been further com-

Paul Reynaud's plan of social and economic reform, forth early last month, the prestige of coming from financial expert in France knows what he wants usually right, and the "Official," which carried his was prefaced by a most brilliant general report turned a pitiless light on the economic situation and made perfectly clear that if France, recover her economic health in turn, is a prerequisite of a successful diplomatic tige, the workers of France have to make sacrifices.

However, such conservatism as the British review Spectator and the Economist that too much of the burden upon the workers.

The Spectator predicted: "The opposition of the left and the trade unions, restrained, will continue. Daladier becomes increasingly concerned to spare the abilities of the workers, and thus prevent any possibility of the period of political which is essential to the of Mr. Reynaud's plan—which least chance of saving France from totalitarianism."

Thomas Balogh, who as a economist will hardly be expected of radicalism, stated in Oct. 15 Economist a thesis advanced in this country by

under Sachs, that "the abolition of the social laws alone will restore confidence. . . . A whole series of sacrifices imposed on the workers will not lead to the demands the end of the social wealthy individuals to protect personal fortunes. . . . But it is more interested in the the liberty of French can than the liberty of Europe."

M. Reynaud's plan puts strictions on the export of He believes that it can be "suaded" to rehabilitate itself workers can be forced to make concessions. But you cannot take a high hand with laissez faire to capital.

CHARLES C. MEEK, SECRETARY OF UNDERTAKERS' GROUP

Former Officer of State Assn. Succumbs to Diabetes After Year's Illness.

Charles C. Meek, secretary of St. Louis Funeral Directors' association, died early today at his home, 3039 East Ave. He was 54 years old and had been ill about a year.

He was a partner in the Dickmann Funeral Home, Washington boulevard, and been secretary of the St. Louis association for 30 years. He had been secretary also of the Missouri Funeral Directors' Association for the last eight years, and was a member of the Missouri State

"Everything Pertaining to the Nazi Deceit"











# NEW YORK RACKET SENTENCING PUT OFF

## Committee Against Witnesses in Hines Case to Be Imposed Feb. 27

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Sentencing of Richard (Dick) Davis, George Weinberg and Harry Schoenhaus, racketeers, was postponed today by Judge James J. Hines, Tammany Hall leader, was deferred today by Judge Ferdinand Pecora.

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# WIDE-OPEN POLICY ON PATENTS BEST, SAYS EDEL FORD

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grants free licenses to any individual or firm desiring to use Ford patents, the company has been used 50 times for patent infringement and threatened with suit 46 times, he testified.

Only one of the 60 suits has been decided against the Ford company. Farley, who sat at Ford's left, told the committee. Ninety-five percent of the suits against the Ford company, according to Farley, are brought by persons who have never been engaged in manufacture.

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## TEND OF STOCK PRICES

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The Associated  
Press daily wholesale price index of 35  
basic commodities:

Monday	Friday	Week	Month	Year
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## RANGE OF RECENT YEARS

(1928 average equals 100)

High	Low	Close
74.37	67.08	67.08
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## STOCK PRICE AVERAGES

(Compiled by Dow Jones)

High	Low	Close
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## STOCKS

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## U. S. TREASURY POSITION

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The Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Wheat rose 1 1/2¢ to 64 1/2¢ in Chicago today, chiefly on prospects for a bumper crop. Reports from the Argentine and other sources stressed moisture over a large area both in the north and south winter wheat belt. The base of 1,275,000 bushels in the United States wheat supply total was a factor.  
Chicago wheat futures were 1 1/2¢ higher, compared with Friday's finish, Dec. 4, 64 1/2¢. May 64 1/2¢, corn 54 1/2¢, soybeans 14 1/2¢, and oats 14 1/2¢.  
Slow upturn of wheat prices resulted, partly from private reports of bumper crop conditions in the wheat belt because of moisture deficiency. Reports replaced early fractional losses. Important moisture relief was noted in dry districts of the Southwest the 24 hours.  
Export sales of Canadian wheat were listed at 300,000 to 400,000 bushels. No domestic wheat business was completed although further inquiry for U. S. wheat was reported.  
Wheat at noon was 54 1/2¢ higher, compared with Saturday's close, Dec. 4, 64 1/2¢, and corn was 54 1/2¢. Dec. 47 1/2¢, May 51¢.  
Speculations pointed to only small North American export business, and it increased the amount of wheat offered for export. Countries was shown, with wheat continuing heavy. On the other hand, it was asserted as now probable the Argentine wheat crop this season did not exceed 255,000,000 bushels.  
Wheat was current, however, that not all of the probable Argentine surplus had been sold ahead, whereas normally considerable amount should be disposed of. An authoritative unofficial report issued by the United States wheat board, based on a survey of the Argentine wheat crop, estimated the same source Nov. 1, totaling the at 46,550,000. The increase was due to improved soil conditions in the Northwest.  
Materially higher quotations on corn and soybeans tended to lift corn values. Chicago arrivals of corn were measured only 63 cars today, oats and rye were negligible.  
Quotations declined with hog values.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE  
5.—Price changes in wheat were in the world markets today. Chicago wheat began unchanged to 1/2¢ lower, and later was 1/2¢ off. The was 54 1/2¢ higher.  
Liverpool wheat covered unchanged and later cable was 1/2¢ to 3/4¢ off. It was not unchanged to 1/2¢ lower. Argentine wheat started unchanged and at noon was same. Corn was 1/2¢ to 1/4¢ higher and at noon was 1 1/2¢ up.  
Local wheat receipts which were 43,500 compared with 58,500 a week ago and 500 a year ago, included 23 cars local. Corn receipts which were 30 bu. compared with 58,500 a week ago and 220,000 a year ago, included 10 local. Oats receipts which were 26,000 compared with 8000 a week ago and 26,000 a year ago, included three local. Hay receipts were one car.

St. Louis Cash Grain.  
The cash grain market today was steady; corn unchanged to 1/2¢ higher.  
Wheat made on the floor of the exchange, as follows:  
Dec.—No. 2 red winter, 63 1/2¢; No. 1 winter, 66¢; sample grade, 64 1/2¢.  
Jan.—No. 1 yellow, 49 1/2¢; No. 2 yellow, 49 1/4¢; No. 1 mixed, 49 1/2¢; No. 2 mixed, 49¢.  
May—Sample grade white, 26¢; No. 1, 31¢.

## FUTURE GRAIN PRICES

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE  
Dec. 5.—The following are today's high, low, closing and previous close in the markets and quotations received from markets:

High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
DECEMBER WHEAT			
64 1/2	63 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2
61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2
61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2
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MARCH WHEAT			
60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2
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MAY WHEAT			
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JULY WHEAT			
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DECEMBER CORN			
48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2
MAY CORN			
51 1/2	50 1/2	51 1/2	50 1/2
49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2
JULY CORN			
52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2
DECEMBER OATS			
27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
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MAY OATS			
27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
JULY OATS			
27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
DECEMBER RYE			
44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
MAY RYE			
44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
JULY RYE			
45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2
DECEMBER SOY BEANS			
76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2
MAY SOY BEANS			
78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2
JULY SOY BEANS			
78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2

## WILL FEED FUTURES MARKET

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE  
5.—Millfeed futures closing prices for local deliveries were: Steady to 1/2¢ lower; gray shorts steady to 1/2¢ up. For Chicago deliveries: Steady to 1/2¢ up. For Chicago deliveries: Steady to 1/2¢ up. For Chicago deliveries: Steady to 1/2¢ up.

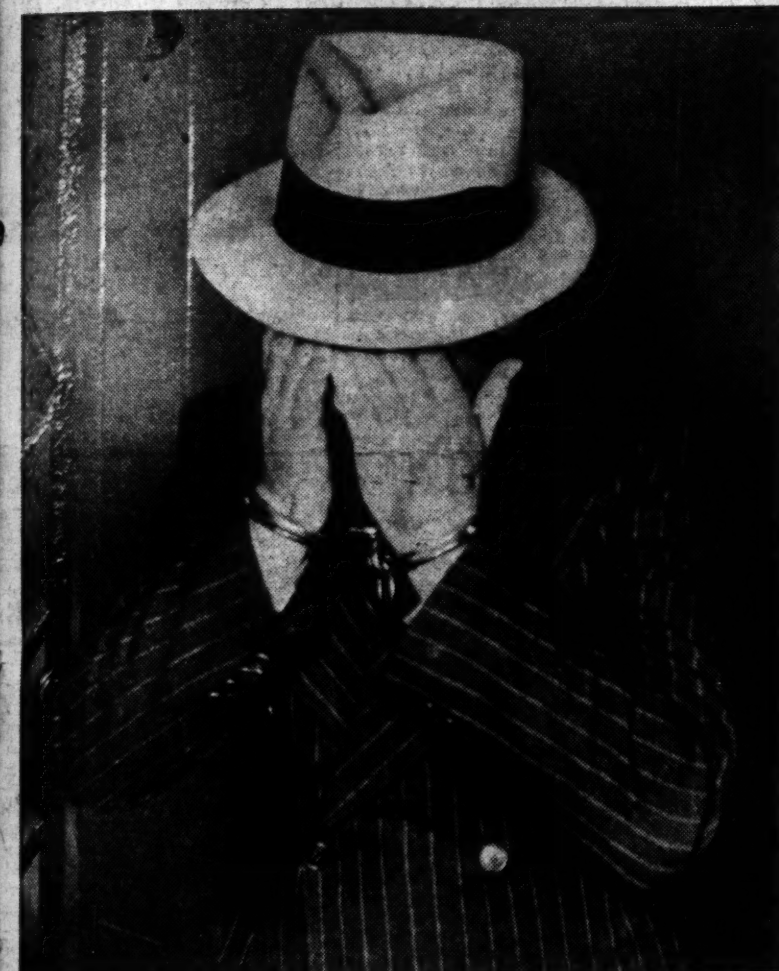
STANDARD GRAIN  
Close Prev. Close

December	15.700-16.100	15.700-16.100
January	16.500-16.850	16.500-16.850
February	16.800-17.200	16.800-17.200
March	17.200-17.500	17.200-17.500
April	17.500-17.800	17.500-17.800
May	17.800-18.100	17.800-18.100
June	18.100-18.400	18.100-18.400
July	18.400-18.700	18.400-18.700
August	18.700-19.000	18.700-19.000
September	19.000-19.300	19.000-19.300
October	19.300-19.600	19.300-19.600
November	19.600-19.900	19.600-19.900
December	19.900-20.200	19.900-20.200

STANDARD MIDDLING  
Close Prev. Close

December	17.200-17.500	17.200-17.500
January	17.500-17.800	17.500-17.800
February	17.800-18.100	17.800-18.100
March	18.100-18.400	18.100-18.400
April	18.400-18.700	18.400-18.700
May	18.700-19.000	18.700-19.000
June	19.000-19.300	19.000-19.300
July	19.300-19.600	19.300-19.600
August	19.600-19.900	19.600-19.900
September	19.900-20.200	19.900-20.200
October	20.200-20.500	20.200-20.500
November	20.500-20.800	20.500-20.800
December	20.800-21.100	20.800-21.100

Visible Grain Changes  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Visible grain changes in the futures market were: Wheat, 1 1/2¢ higher; corn, 1/2¢ higher; soybeans, 1/2¢ higher; oats, 1/2¢ higher; barley, 1/2¢ higher.



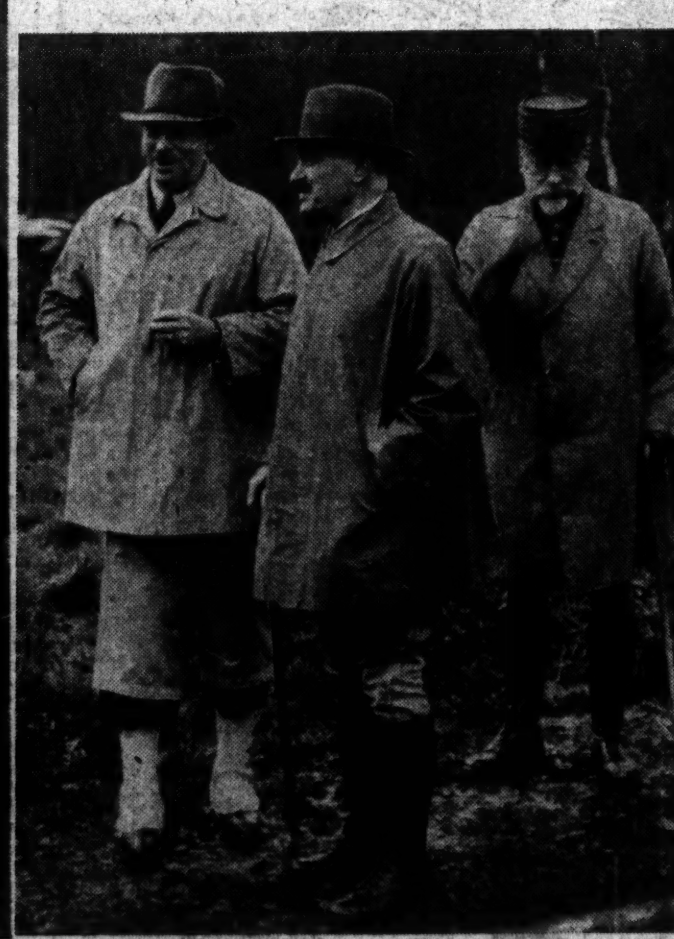
**ARRIVING AT COURT** Isidore Londe, hoodlum, shows his handcuffs as he covers his face from photographers in a Municipal Courts building corridor on the way to Circuit Court to stand trial on a bombing charge.



**GANDHI IN HAPPY MOOD** Mahatma Gandhi (center), leader of India's millions, chatting with an Indian leader during a recent visit to Delhi.



**DOWLING'S CAR** Automobile of Elmer Dowling, who is sought by police for the attempted murder of Lee Baker, Negro witness against Isidore Londe. The car was located by police in a garage where it had been placed on Nov. 19, a few hours after the shooting of Baker.



**KING CAROL IN FRANCE** King Carol (left) of Rumania chatting with President Lebrun (center) of France at a hunting party near Paris, during his recent visit to France.

## ON MONOPOLY COMMITTEE

Three members of the Federal Monopoly Investigating Committee at a hearing in Washington on concentration of economic control. From left, William O. Douglas of the SEC, Herman Oliphant of the Treasury Department and Garland S. Ferguson, chairman of the Federal Trade Commission.

## TAKING OVER AT HANKOW

Rear-Admiral H. V. Holt (left) of the British Yangtze fleet turning over policing powers in Hankow to Lieutenant - Colonel Nakayama of the invading Japanese army.



**CLAYTON FIRE** View of fire at the six-family apartment building at 7520 Oxford avenue, Clayton. Fire department officials estimated the damage at \$11,000.



**RECORDING ST. LOUIS ACTIVITIES** Representatives of the National Broadcasting Company recording St. Louis activities in several languages for short wave radio transmission to Latin America. They are pictured during their visit to the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce. From left, John E. Holmes, recording engineer; J. Harrison Hartley, assistant director of special radio events; Henri Diamont-Berger of France; Thomas N. Dysart, Chamber of Commerce president; Dr. Arthur S. Deter of the National Broadcasting Company Portuguese division, and Prof. J. Alfred Barrett of the Spanish division.











# COOK COOS

By Ted Cook

**FOR A LOVELY LADY.**  
Don't, my dear, go in for brass.  
Not with that peachblow skin.  
That dazling brow, that dazling cheek,  
That dimple in your chin.  
Not with those shining amber curls,  
Those eyes of deepest blue—  
The blue of tropic skies at dusk,  
Of luscious wet with dew.  
Be good, sweet maid, to look upon  
And let who will be clever:  
Beauty is truth, the poet said.  
Also a joy forever.

Let the less decorative maid  
Improve her little mind;  
That upward sweep of lash is more  
Effectual, you'll find.

Be lovely as a shallow pool  
That mirrors the evening star,  
But not a solitary brain!  
You're perfect as you are!  
—Ethel Jacobson.

**BIG IDEA NO. 8467.**  
As a gesture to promote international peace, Mister Frisky is considering a flight over Europe in a balloon, from which he will release 500 doves of peace. "This action," he says, "will have double meaning. It will be sure-fire propaganda and besides, I will find it with the dove-shooting season in Germany, so the undernourished can have pigeon pie."

**FEARLESS JOURNALISM**  
(The Roman (Montana) Pioneer.)  
We have been too busy the past several weeks to take time to concoct the usual amount of effusions which usually appear each week in this column. Even at that we believe we could have done better if some of our regular advertisers had not thrown us down by holding back their copy.  
The Stop 'n' Shop procrastinated to the extent that we were seriously handicapped this week, making it necessary for us to travel breakneck speed in order to get the paper to our readers at the usual time. Although his advertisement in this particular issue is not very large, Socrates Socrates had to lag behind, which in a proportionate way added to our troubles. By the way, can it be possible we have finally got that bird's goat?

**TODAY'S PUZZLE.**  
(Personal—Sat. Review of Lit.)  
"SMALL—BOYNESS?" "Consummate nerve?" "crust?" Indeed not. Notice was for you not coincidence. Please don't stop writing!

Says the Moscow Daily Pravda: "Herodism has become a mass phenomenon in our country. Indeed, Herodism is a routine matter with us—a Soviet custom."

Flavored, according to innocents, bystanders, with a little large-scale martyrdom on alternate Thursdays.

And appealing to the well-to-do by proposing plover eggs with Virginia smoked ham.

**TODAY'S OPPORTUNITY.**  
(Sat. Review of Lit.)  
BACHELOR late thirties desires correspondence with other bachelors interested general cultural subjects and tolerant viewpoints. Box 870-C.

**FAMOUS LAST WORDS**  
But Mr. Chamberlain! Who is going to guarantee the guarantee?  
A better world tomorrow.

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## BELIEVE IT OR NOT

**I NPI NETA RISI NOA KNO NEIS**  
THE ABOVE IS PLAIN ENGLISH, IT READS  
IN PINE TAR IS, IN OAK NONE IS.



**EARL S. SNYDER**  
THE ONE-MAN RAILROAD  
HE WAS PRESIDENT, V. PRESIDENT, TREASURER, SECRETARY, ENGINEER, FIREMAN, CLERK, CONDUCTOR AND BRAKEMAN OF THE PIONEER & FAYETTE RAILROAD Ohio



## ON THE FLICKER FRONT

By H. H. Niemeyer

**HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 5.**  
THEATER operators around the country have been complaining about the racing stables and establishments of the movie stars and movie executives. They say the cinema folk have set up a tremendous rival to their own particular branch of entertaining which has hurt attendance in the picture houses. Without doubt the race tracks have cut into theater receipts in cities where there is racing and the way things are now the year around, especially out here in the movies' own stronghold. The answer to the complaints of the picture house owners by the stars and the studio executives has been pretty typical—they have increased their stables and added to their race track holdings with bigger and better grandstands and betting facilities.

Louis B. Mayer, head of Metro-Goldwyn, Mayer, is the latest movie biggie to cut into the game in a big way with the largest stable of thoroughbreds ever imported to California. The Warner brothers already have their own race track, animal. Menjou knows something about horses. Even trained ones forget their training once in a while and he refused to get very close to his co-star. "Nothing can happen," said Anderson. "Look, stand right here."

Nothing could happen—much. Zane, who apparently cares no more for assistant directors than the players do, let one hind foot fly and Anderson was taken to the hospital.

Since we are back to where this column began, horses, we might as well tell you that they are going to make a movie about a horse. It will be about a horse and nothing else but the animal is one of the most remarkable horses Hollywood, and the rest of the country, has ever heard of. The picture won't be one of those Black Beauty yarns. Nor will it tell of a milk wagon hack which turns around and wins the Kentucky Derby just in time to lift the mortgage on the old farm. No, it will be just the true life story of a horse which has shown more fortitude, intelligence and ability to triumph over adversity than most humans.

## TRAILER GIRL

By Vera Brown

Continued From Page Two.

lighted it. He pulled away meditatively. "I'm not much help to a lady in distress. I'm just a mug." He straightened his shoulders. "But I'll do what I can," he added. "Lynn's sobs were quieting down now. "If you stop crying you can sleep in my trailer tonight. I'm out at the edge of town. I'm going North in the morning. By then, maybe you can think of somebody who can help you." Lynn looked at him doubtfully. He was a slim, dark, young man, but he had a kind face. "Trailer?" Lynn shuddered at the word. If only she'd never heard of trailers. If only she'd never gone to work for Mrs. Warren and agreed to come South with her. At least she would feel better staying in New York than here in this strange country which was so beautiful and so unattractive. It was the edge of the world for Lynn. "Sure, a trailer. Have been in one?" They're small. Lynn did not answer him. "I'll do the handsome thing, turn over my bunk to you. I'll sleep in the trailer. He banged his hands down on the steering wheel. "We down-and-outers have got to stick together."

"But you haven't asked me any questions." "You haven't asked me any. You're broke, I'm broke, but I've got a place to sleep. Simple!" Then he added by way of explanation: "I'd give you money for a hotel, but I've got just about enough to buy gas and grub to get me back in New York." He stepped on the starter, but the car did not move. Finally, after much cranking, he got it going and they jerked away up the street.

In a panic Lynn began to wonder. She couldn't go back to that tourist camp. Not with this strange man! "Are you in a camp?" "Lord, no, can't afford it. I'm out in the country." Then they both lapsed into silence. They hadn't gone far when Lynn remarked: "There's a car following us."

"I thought that, too." He turned to Lynn. "Anybody likely to take a pot-shot at me?" "Oh, no!" the car was gaining on them. Lynn was suddenly afraid. It might be that Austin coming to demand the dress she'd stolen! "Oh, it might be a man I'm running away from," she said in a weak voice at last.

"It might, might it?" Rene roared. "Say, what's the idea?" "No, no! I don't even know him, but I ran out on a party I didn't like. Please believe me!" "All right, crawl over in the back seat and pull my coat over you, quick."

Lynn had hardly got settled on the floor in the rear of the car when Austin's fast automobile overtook Rene and he blew his horn. "Hi, there! I want to talk to you," Wild called. Rene slowed down. "Send a stray blonde any place?" Austin asked. "They told me in that restaurant she left with you." "Yes, I dropped her at the Y. W. C. A.," Rene called back. "O. K. Thanks." Austin, with a screech of brakes, swung his car about and was gone down the road again in a flash. "You can come out now," Rene yelled above the rattle of his car as he hurried on in the opposite direction. Gingerly Lynn climbed back over into the front seat. "Not that I'm curious, but you might tell me what this is all about," Rene remarked. "It's a long story."

"I should imagine. But is this guy likely to turn out the gen-darmes? I don't mind helping a lady."

"How can he come back? How can he find us?" Lynn asked. "He found us once, didn't he? I'm not interested in getting shot!" Continued Tomorrow.

**Olive and Chive Salad Dressing**  
A pleasing dressing on endive or romaine salad. One-half cup olive oil, three tablespoons vinegar, one tablespoon salt, one teaspoon mustard, one-half teaspoon paprika, one tablespoon finely chopped chives, two tablespoons chopped stuffed olives. Mix dry ingredients and then add to oil and vinegar. Beat until thick and then add chives and olives.

**Walnut Kisses**  
Just about now we are beginning to be on the lookout for Christmas cookies and the following are some tried and true favorites. The whites of six eggs beaten stiff, one pound of powdered sugar, one cup chopped walnut meats and a piece of citric acid the size of a pea. Drop by spoonful onto buttered tins and bake in a moderate oven.

**Check COLD DISCOMFORTS**  
At the first sign of a cold, make up your mind to avoid as much of the sniffing, sneezing, soreness and stuffy condition of your nostrils as possible. Insert MENTHOLATUM in each nostril. Also rub it vigorously on your chest. You'll be delighted with the way MENTHOLATUM combats cold misery and helps restore comfort.  
**MENTHOLATUM**  
Gives COMFORT Daily

**Fish and Biscuits**  
Roll out a rich biscuit dough and cut into rounds. Place two together with a spread of butter between. Bake in a hot oven for 12 to 15 minutes. Separate each biscuit, putting lower half on a platter. Cover with creamed fish and then replace upper half. Place remaining fish around the biscuits and serve. A tablespoon of chopped pimientos added to the fish makes it a more colorful picture.

**Tarragon vinegar** is ordinary vinegar that has been flavored with tarragon, an aromatic herb.

**Green Tag Specials**  
CLAYTON RANdolph 8191 HI-POINTE CAbany 5420 WEBSTER WEstbeter 170  
**SIFTED SMALL EARLY JUNE PEAS**  
AN UNUSUAL PURCHASE PERMITS US TO OFFER THIS HIGH QUALITY RICHELIEU PEA (HAS BEEN 23¢ PER CAN) AT OUTSTANDING PRICES  
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FROM OUR FANCY BEVES  
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Pint 23¢ Quart 35¢  
**CHOCOLATE Feather Cake** Each 19¢  
Delicious With Our Ice Cream  
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With Our Butter—It's a "Meat"  
MURTHA WASHINGTON Coffee Cake Large 22¢  
Rich Butter Coffee Cake  
**Green Tag SPECIAL**  
EXTRA QUALITY **Florida Oranges**  
THE BEST LARGE AND JUICY 2 DOZ. 49¢  
**RED SUPER SUDS**  
FOR ALL WASHING  
At Economy Size 2 Large 35¢  
**Green Tag SPECIAL**  
RED PALMOLIVE 6 Bars 33¢  
The Soap for Complexion  
**CRYSTAL WHITE** 10 Giant Bars 39¢  
Case of 80 Bars \$3.98  
**Green Tag SPECIAL**  
LIGHT RED **KIDNEY BEANS**  
RICHELIEU—FINEST PACK  
For Salad 3 No. 2 CANS 32¢  
**GENUINE LUNCHEON Finger Rolls** Doz. 16¢  
So Dainty and Tender  
**ITALIAN SPAGHETTI** 15¢  
Finest Termini Variety  
**BECHNUT Chili Sauce** 2 Large 39¢  
Reg. 25¢—Great Value  
**Green Tag SPECIAL**  
HORMEL **Chili Con Carne**  
FOR A QUICK LUNCH  
SO GOOD 2 LARGE 29¢  
**IMPORTED Droste's Cocoa** 1/2-Lb. 49¢  
These Cold Mornings  
**RICHELIEU SEEDLESS GRAPES** 2 No. 2 CANS 29¢  
Fine for Salad  
**Straub's Select Foods**

## TODAY'S PATTERN

House Frock



**BE** style-alert even when you're working around the house. Here's a pretty recipe suggested by Anne Adams, and it's ever so easy to follow. To a comfortable, slenderizing skirt and a soft bodice with a yoke. Whip on two attractive pockets and a becoming collar finished off with a bow—or dispense with a collar and have a sweetheart neckline instead, daintily trimmed with rick-rack braid. If instead of cotton you choose a good-looking synthetic, your frock will have an "air" that makes it appropriate for going shopping or calling. Be sure to observe that you may have short, puffed sleeves, a cap-length type, or a long warm version—all three very charming and fashionable.

A sweet faced old lady was playing a 'cello on the set of "Always Leave Them Laughing," the new Dick Powell opera now before the cameras. She was playing it—but no music came from the strings. Dick, in the role of a young professor who has to switch his affections from the classics to swing, stood near, apparently entranced by the beauty of the tones. And then from a "playback" machine came the music. But it was piano music. Even the 'celist looked startled. "How come?" demanded an assistant director. "She plays a fiddle and it comes out piano. What's the idea?"

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**OXYDOL**  
**IT DOES FARTHER, TOO!**  
Amazing new ingredient not only brings far whiter washes—but also makes new High-Test OXYDOL give up to TWICE THE SUDS in hard water... keeps it safe for washable colors, hands.  
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New High-Test OXYDOL is amazingly safe for washable colors—safe for fabrics and hands. You'll be surprised how beautifully bright and fresh your colored things come out, week after week, even when washed in hard water.  
So join the thousands of women who are switching to new High-Test OXYDOL. You'll be thrilled at the immediate whiteness of your fine linens—at the freshness and sparkle of colored things! Thrilled at the time and work saved.  
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**RADIO MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1938.**  
**Radio**  
Informative Talks  
1:30 KMOX and KWK—Address by President Roosevelt to the third annual meeting of the Carolinian Union, a non-partisan organization of the University of North Carolina.  
6:15 KED—EDWIN G. HILL, M.D.—"The New News."  
8:30 WENR (870)—Radio Forum  
**Radio Concerts**  
7:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
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9:30 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
**Drama and Sketch**  
8:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
9:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
10:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
**Dance Music Tonight**  
8:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
9:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.  
10:00 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, featuring Crooks, Tenor, and Alto.



RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

**Informative Talks**  
12:30 KMOX and KWK—Address by President Roosevelt to the third anniversary meeting of the Carolina Food Union, a non-partisan student organization of the University of North Carolina.  
1:30 KWK—Edwin G. Hill, "HUMANITY AND THE NEWS."  
1:30 WJBR (STO)—Radio Forum.

**Radio Concerts**  
1:30 KWK—GARDEN MELODIES, Richard Crook, tenor, and Alfred Walla, pianist.  
1:30 KWK—MARKER WEBER'S ORCHESTRA.  
1:30 CBS Net—Bernard Herrmann's Concert Orchestra.

**Drama and Sketches**  
1:30 KWK—Don Winslow of the Navy. Serial.  
1:30 KWK—Dick Tracy. Serial.  
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ON SHORT WAVES

PROGRAMS listed for today on short-wave stations include:  
5:00 p. m.—Excerpts from German Epics: "Parival" DJM, Berlin, 11.77 meg.  
5:20 p. m.—EBC Empire Symphony Concerts. GSG, London, 11.73 meg. GSP, 15.31 meg. GSO, 15.18 meg. GSD, 11.75 meg. GSB, 9.51 meg.  
6:30 p. m.—Italy, Land of Song. ZRO, Rome, 11.81 meg. IRP, 8.93 meg.  
8:30 p. m.—German Folk Songs. DJM, Berlin, 11.77 meg.  
9:30 p. m.—Central European Review of Affairs. OLRSA, Prague, 11.84 meg. OLRSA, 15.33 meg.  
9:50 p. m.—Variety program. GSI, London, 15.33 meg. GSD, 11.75 meg.; GSC, 9.58 meg.; GSB, 9.51 meg.  
10:00 p. m.—Musica Classica. WSKAL, Cincinnati, 6.06 meg.  
10:20 p. m.—Talk by Mrs. Tolstoy. TPTT, Paris, 11.88 meg. TPA4, 11.71 meg.  
10:30 p. m.—Cab Calloway and His Orchestra. WJKE, New York, 6.12 meg.

ON KSD

News Broadcasts—5, 11 a. m., 12 noon and 5 p. m.  
Market—10:30 p. m.  
Weather Reports—8:30 a. m. and 5:59 p. m.  
Time Signal—11 a. m. and intervals throughout the day.

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Sixth Avenue Is Dirty, But It's Different

An Unusual Segment of New York Life Seen in Its 40 Blocks.  
By George Tucker  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.  
I WOULDN'T recommend Sixth Avenue to everybody, but I think you'd like it. It's dirty, but it's different. It crawls in a square all the way through midtown and then takes a sudden turn for the better and ends in elegance far up at Central Park.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

T. Anderson, a correspondent

St. Louis Star-Times and

member of the St.

Post-Dispatch Washington

died early this morning at

St. Louis after an over

sleeping capsules.

Dr. A. Magruder MacDon

advised Coroner, issued a

certificate that the death was

from sleeping powders.

Anderson, 45 years old, w

erally considered to be one

of the most brilliant report

ers in the country. He was the

Pulitzer prize winner in 1928

for his work in re-

investigation of the

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derson believed that his use-

fulness had been

ed. He awakened his Neg

ro Olive Field, at 2 a. m. say-

ing he wanted to tell her good-

night and then went to his gar-

age, where he was found by

the maid who had been

swallowing a handful of

capsules before the maid

found him. He told her: "I

am a good job of this. I

am tired of living."

The maid telephoned Sam

Anderson's colleague in the

Times Bureau, but when O'

Connell arrived, Anderson was

unconscious and slumped

over in a large

chair. O'Connell took him to

St. Louis University Hospi-

tal, where he died at

3:55 a. m. without regain-

ing consciousness.

His wife, who is in Chic

ago, expected to arrive in

Washington today.

Brilliant Reporter.

A reporter of brilliant

and wide attainments, An-

derson was noted for his

attacks on corruption, dis-

honesty and sham in govern-

ment. He was an intimate

friend of men in

places with whom he co-

operated in his journalistic

crusades. His library was

lined with signed

autographs of President

Roosevelt, Senator La Fol-

lette, Senator Walsh of

Montana, Sen-

ator Norris of Nebraska,

the late Senator Hugh

Long, Gen. Hugh

son and Donald Rich-

berg.

His latest exploit was a

controversy with Chalmers

in the House committee

investigating un-

American activities. When

President Roosevelt suggested

at a conference that a good

news conference should be

obtained by interview-

ing the reporters who had

covered the committee's

answer to a radio broad-

cast, Anderson broadcast a

reporter's view of the

committee's activities.

Of a highly emotional

temperament, Anderson

had been a member of

the committee for several

years.

Complaining of his in-

ability to sleep, he resorted

to sedative stimulants

which aggravated his

condition. Last October he

was cured from his closed

garage by the motor of his

car. Apparently he had

recovered from this ex-

perience and continued

his work on the Star-Times

and Nation, a magazine, for

which he wrote a weekly

column.

Newspaper Career From E. St.

Riots to Pulitzer Prize

Paul Anderson was born in

County, Tenn., and did his

newspaper work at the age

of 16 as a reporter on the

Knoxville Daily Citizen.

He came to St. Louis in

1912 and worked on the

Star-Times and Nation, until

when he went to work as a

reporter for the Post-Dis-

patch. His assignment

for several years was the

St. Louis "fun."

He wrote news stories

on political conditions

there. He gained the en-

mity of some of the

East Side politicians.

Mayor of East St. Louis,

once attacked him when he

was in the Mayor's office,

and endeavored to

debar him from the

sources of news.

In 1917, following the

East St. Louis race riots,

he wrote an

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